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GUARDS

Outwitted by Two Desperate Murderers in a Pittsburg Jail.

Three were Locked in a Cell

And After Two Others Had Been Seriously Injured and Rendered Unconscious the Prisoners Donned Citizens Clothes and Escaped.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—John and Ed. Biddle who were to hang, for the murder groceryman Kahney and detective Fitzgerald, January 14, but who were granted a respite of forty days from the pardon board, made a sensational escape from the county jail here about 4:45 o'clock this morning. They got out of their cells some how threw night watchman McGarey over the jail railing, fatally injuring him. Guard Reynolds responding to the alarm was shot in the hip by the desperadoes, who then made their escape. They are still at large. How they got the firearms and sufficient liberty of action to break out is still a mystery. Walter Dorman, their accomplice, was not in the plot to escape. The Biddles are well known as crooks in Ohio and Michigan.

FIVE GUARDS

Were All Caught Unawares by the Two Desperadoes.

It is yet impossible to toll in detail just how the Biddles escaped. They feigned illness and while one guard went to the hospital for medicine the other lifted bolt of the cell. The Biddles then rushed out and locked three guards in their cell. When the remaining guard returned with the medicine they threw him over the railing fracturing his skull. He will die. This guard is named McGarry. Guard Reynolds had charge of the gates of the jail. The Biddles shot him in the hip and while he was unconscious they made their way to the warden's office, got on citizens' clothes and walked out. Reynolds will probably die too.

POLITICS

Is Now Intimated As a Motive For a Fixed Up Job.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—It is now intimated that the release of the murderers was a case of politics. Warden Soffel was a strong fighter against the local ripper bill and it is charged that the escape was fixed up to discredit Soffel. Police officers say they can't see how condemned murderers could possibly escape without a job. The fatally wounded guards, it is needless to say, were not in the job.

SENSATIONAL

Charges Made By Warden Soffel Against His Wife.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30.—It was not politics which helped the Biddles but the warden's wife, Mrs. Soffel. The warden said at 11 o'clock today: "I believe my wife furnished the weapons to the Biddles and assisted them in making their escape. This is an awful thing but I am only telling the whole truth. She was not in bed when I was awakened this morning and I have not seen her since. She is gone God only knows where. I said I would lay everything bare and I am doing it. This is the worst blow of all but it is true. I did not suspect her and hence was off my guard. Mrs. Soffel is gone and so are the Biddles Whether alone or together no one knows."

The county commissioners met in consultation this afternoon and offered a reward of $5,000 dead or alive for the capture of Ed and Jack Biddle.

HOWARD

Is Again Convicted by a Jury

Of Complicity in the Murder of Gov. Goebel.

Five Jurors were in Favor of Capital Punishment but Finally Agreed Upon Life Imprisonment.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—At 11:35 o'clock today, the jury in the case of Jim Howard, returned a verdict of guilty against the prisoner and fixed his punishment at life imprisonment. He was implicated in the Goebel murder.

The jury is said to have voted unanimously on the verdict of guilty. On the question of punishment, seven voted on the first ballot for life imprisonment and five for hanging. On subsequent ballots, the five for death penalty voted with those favoring a life sentence. Howard looked pleased when the verdict was announced. Howard's attorneys will, tomorrow, enter a motion for a new trial. The jury was out two hours and ten minutes. This was Howard's second trial.

TELEGRAPH

And Trolly Wires "Crossed" in Louisville.

Louisville, Jan. 30.—The Postal Telegraph-Cable company sustained a serious accident through bad weather. Three poles on the river front carrying the Postal wires, which were covered with sleet, fell, and the wires landed across some trolley wires. In an instant the Postal operating room was full of blue flames, and then was cut off from the world. It is not known yet whether the protective devices saved the switchboard and dynamos.

PRO-BOER

Meeting of Citizens of Lincoln, Neb.

Resolutions of Sympathy were Adopted.

Meeting was Addressed by Jan Krize, Former Transvaal Officer Who Escaped from British Prison Camp.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—A pro-Boer meeting here was addressed by Jan Krize, former Transvaal officer, who escaped while a prisoner of the British and made his way to this country. Following his address resolutions were adopted reciting the sympathy of the meeting with the Boer cause, calling on Governor Savage to issue a proclamation similar to that of Governor Yates of Illinois, and requesting contributions for Boer women and children. William J. Bryan criticised the sending by officials at Washington of messages of condolence on the death of Queen Victoria and the neglect to transmit a word of sympathy to Paul Kruger when his wife died. Mr. Bryan urged that efforts be made to bring Mr. Kruger to the United States.

TELEPHONE

Poles and Wires Block Lexington's Streets.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 30.—Almost every street here is blocked with fallen trees, telephone poles and tangled wires as the result of the sleet. The mayor ordered all electric currents, except those supplying several streetcar lines which are yet open, cut off for safety. Elevators and several small plants have had to suspend. Telephone companies have suffered seriously. Beautiful trees, for which this city is noted, are falling by hundreds.

DEADLY

Battle Between Police and Robbers.

Burglars were Killed and Officers Wounded.

A Pal of the Outlaws Informed Authorities of Their Plans and the Latter Laid in Wait for Them.

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 30. — Two burglars are dead and two officers of the law are probably mortally wounded as the result of a desperate attempt to rob Mrs. Mary Priest, an aged and wealthy widow of this city. The bloody encounter occurred at the home of the woman, and the victims are: Harvey Williams and —— Lysle, two notorious cracksmen, both shot dead; Marshal Peter Fitzgerald of Athens and Deputy Sheriff W. S. Manring of this county, each badly wounded. The bandits disclosed their plans to Bob Sweet of this city and elected him to assist. Sweet informed the police and was instructed to assist the robbers in carrying out their plans. Their scheme was to break into the Priest home, gag the old lady and apply a heated poker to her person until she revealed the hiding place of her money. The officers mentioned above, with several assistants, secreted themselves in the home of Mrs. Priest, and later in the evening, when the thieves broke through the door, attempted to seize the men. A fight with revolvers followed, with the above result. A confederate of the robbers made his escape.

SWORDS

Were Used by Mounted Police

To Subdue a Riot in Streets of Budapest.

Ten Thousand Socialists Attack the Parliament Building—Eighty-six were Wounded by the Police.

Budapest, Jan. 30.—A riot of workmen occurred here today. Ten thousand of them attacked Parliament to give emphasis to the anti-government campaign of the socialist leader, Vaysonyi. The windows of the building were smashed and the proceedings of the chamber interrupted. Mounted police were called out and charged the crowd, slashing them with their swords. Ambulances carried away eighty-six wounded persons.

RELATIVE

Of Pope Leo Dies of Pneumonia at Omaha.

Omaha, Jan. 30.—Sister Mary Constance Bentivoglio, mother superior of the Omaha convent of St. Clare and relative of Pop Leo, died at the monastery of pneumonia after two weeks' illness. Sixty-four years ago the sister was born in the castle of St. Angelo at Rome, while her father was governor of the Italian capital. She was a descendant of the famous house of Bentivoglio, and one of her brothers, Count Bentivoglio, is prominent among Italian noblemen of today.

EFFECTS

Of the Big Storm Felt in the Queen City.

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—Although the snowstorm was general throughout the state of Ohio, yet no great damage has been reported thus far. The telegraph and telephone companies in this city are doing business as usual, but the telegraph companies report much damage to the wires throughout Kentucky. The snow has ceased falling, and the indications are for warmer weather.

Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Cattle 10,500, weak; hogs 22,000, 5c and 10c higher; sheep 14,000, active.

The Weather.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Ohio, cloudy tonight with snow in central and eastern portions; Friday, partly cloudy, snow in eastern portion.

CARS

Dash Down a Steep Hillside

And the Wreck

Causes Death of Three Persons.

Two Other Victims Fatally Injured and Many More were Hurt.

A Crowd Gathered Around the First Car's Wreck and Then the Second Runaway Dashed Into Its Midst.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30. — Three persons killed, two fatally hurt and a score of others more or less injured is the record made by two runaway cars on the Monongahela branch of the Pittsburg Railway company. Dead: John McFadden, aged 24; Mary Kinkaid, 19; Robert Trush, 29, conductor. Fatally injured: Charles Wright, motorman; —— Alexander, colored.

The accident happened at the foot of the long hill running into Wilmerding from McKeesport. A car without passengers got beyond control of the motorman and dashed down the hill, one and a quarter miles long, at a terrific speed. At the bottom it jumped into the Pennsylvania railroad station, carrying away the side of the depot and tearing up the platform. Charles Wright, the motorman, was so badly hurt that he can not recover. A large crowd gathered about the wreck and 12 minutes later a second runaway car came tearing down the hill and ploughed into the crowd with death-dealing force. On the way down the hill the car struck a carriage containing James Broad and Lizzie Minner, on their way to McKeesport to be married. The carriage was completely wrecked and the driver, Alexander Saunders, was fatally hurt. The young couple escaped with comparatively slight injuries and later were married. The scene at the wreck when the second car was hurled into the crowd was beyond description. A blinding sleet storm prevailed at the time, and it is said the two cars "skated" down the hill with brakes tightly set.

PROMINENT

Citizen of Saratoga, N. Y., Takes His Own Life.

Saratoga, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Caleb W. Mitchell, who had been a prominent figure here more than 30 years, shot and killed himself. Mitchell was formerly village president of Saratoga, but was legislated out of office several years ago. Until within the last year Mitchell had a saloon and clubhouse in the village which was recognized as a sport-ing headquarters, but it was closed by the authorities.

TRYING

To Prove That Patrick and Rice Never Met.

New York, Jan. 30.—Captain James A. Baker again occupied the witness chair at the trial of Albert T. Patrick for the murder of William Marsh Rice. The captain admitted that he had expressed no opinion as to the genuineness of the signatures of various papers bearing Rice's name and which he now calls forgeries, until he had obtained the opinion of handwriting experts. He furthermore admitted that Patrick, before his arrest, had told him he desired a full investigation of his relations with the aged millionaire. The prosecution has been endeavoring to prove that Patrick and Rice never met.

BIG LOSS

Occasioned by a Fire in Chicago This Morning.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—A fire which started on the third floor of a six story building at 84 to 92 Illinois street this morning, burned out three floors within a short time. The loss reaches $100,000.

LOSSES

Heavy in the West and Southwest

As a Result of Heavy Snow and Sleet Storms.

Telephone and Telegraph Service Thoroughly Cut Off and the City of Little Rock is Isolated.

Little Rock, Jan. 30.—The heaviest losses ever sustained in Little Rock from a like cause resulted from the terrible storm of sleet and cold rain which prevailed here for the past three days. The business section of the city is a scene of desolation and business men on every hand are mourning heavy losses that can not be recovered by insurance. The estimated damage will exceed $400,000, including loss to business. In many instances the loss has not yet attained its limit, and continued damage will occur where the accumulated sleet and snow is not removed from the roofs of buildings. In some parts of the city the telegraph and telephone poles are all down, pulling trees and wires with them, and forming a congealed mass of wreckage. Streetcars were run irregularly all day. The fall of sleet amounted to about five inches.

Little Rock is practically shut off from the world. The Western Union lines are all down throughout the state. The Southern Telephone and Telegraph company reports a loss of $25,000. The Little Rock Telephone company has not a line operating in this city.

QUESTION

Of Importance That is Now Pending

Is That Which Involves the New Scale of Wages.

Operators Will Keep Their Position a Secret Until Conference With the Scale Committee is Held.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 30.—With the close of the miners' convention, the next question of importance is the scale settlement. The miners' scale committee and operators had a preliminary meeting this afternoon and the first steps were taken in arranging the order of business for the conference. The operators have closely guarded their proposition and it will not be made public until submitted to the conference, probably tomorrow.

FLAMES

Destroy One of St. Paul's Finest Churches.

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—The People's church, an independent church with Congregationalist affiliation, of which Rev. Dr. S. G. Smith, the well known sociologist, is pastor, was completely destroyed by fire. The building was large, containing an auditorium with seating capacity of 2,300, kindergarten, industrial school and other branches, besides smaller meeting rooms. Hard work by the firemen was necessary to keep the flames from spreading. The church was built in 1888, and, including its pipe organ, represented an outlay of $505,000, and had no church debt.

ST. LOUIS

Wants Ohio Well Represent- at the Exposition.

Columbus, Jan. 30.—A delegation of St. Louis men has arrived here, representing the Ohio society of St. Louis. The mission of the delegation is to urge the proper representation of the state at the Louisiana Purchase exposition. A joint session of the legislature was held Wednesday night, before which the St. Louisians urged the legislators to appropriate a liberal sum for a large representation at the exposition, on the ground not only of state pride but of business policy.

Grain and Pork.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Closing May wheat 78⅝; corn 63 1-8; oats 44⅝; pork 15.90.

SCHWAB

Offers to Resign the Presidency of the U. S. Steel Trust.

Result of Monte Carlo Scandal

For Which He was Reprimanded by J. P. Morgan. Statement of the Fabulous Earnings of the Great Steel Corporation.

New York, Jan. 30.—The Commercial announces today that Chas. M. Schwab recently cabled from Monte Carlo to J. P. Morgan an offer to resign the presidency of the United States Steel Corporation, providing Mr. Morgan and his associates deemed it expedient or necessary. This was the result, the paper says, of Schwab's reported sensational gambling at Monte Carlo and also of Mr. Morgan's sharp cablegram of criticism to Schwab. The paper further says: "It is understood that Mr. Morgan and his associates have decided upon no definite action. It is intimated vaguely that although Mr. Schwab is likely to continue as president of the United States Steel Corporation during the calendar year, his position is not considered altogether permanent."

STATEMENT

Of the Fabulous Earnings of the Gigantic Steel Corporation.

The Steel Trust makes public some remarkable facts today. For his work in underwritting the syndicate J. P. Morgan and his colleagues got one hundred and twenty-nine million dollars. The surplus the day the balance was struck was over one hundred and seventy-four million. The net earnings for the first nine months were over eighty-four million. Carnegie and his close personal friends, for the Carnegie interests got four hundred and ninety-three million. The trust says that it could have secured higher prices for its products but did not advance them as the present prices yeilded a fair return.

LONE HIGHWAYMAN

Meets a Horrible Death at a Roadside Near Tipton, Indiana.

Attempted to Hold Up a Wealthy Farmer and was Torn to Pieces by the Farmer's Three Dogs.

Tipton, Ind., Jan. 30.—Last night as Burkey Wyandotte, a wealthy farmer, was driving home, a highwayman stepped from the roadside and stopped his horse, drew a revolver and demanded money. Wyandotte had three large dogs in the wagon and turned them loose on the robber who, before he could defend himself, was thrown down and the clothing torn from his body. Wyandotte then called his dogs off and drove home. He returned a few hours later with a searching party and found the body of the robber almost torn to pieces. His identity is unknown.

LOVING

Tribute to the Martyr's Memory

Paid by the Citizens of His Late Home City.

Cantonians Hold McKinley Day Exercises at the Tabernacle—Distinguished Orators in Attendance.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—Cantonians paid loving tribute to the late President McKinley in a memorial meeting at the tabernacle Wednesday night, which was participated in by people in all walks of life to the number that overtaxed the big enclosure, where many of the same people had so often listened to words of their old friend and neighbor. The chief orator of the meeting was Hon. William Dudley Foulke of Indiana, the warm personal friend of the late president, recently elected by President Roosevelt for membership on the civil service commission. A short address was also delivered by Hon. George H. Laughlin of Wheeling, W. Va.

NARROW

Escape of a Car and Its Fifteen Passengers.

East Liverpool, O., Jan. 30.—By the narrow margin of two feet a car passing along the hill 200 feet above the river missed being buried by an avalanche of dirt and rocks, which crushed the rear vestibule and covered the track to a depth of 50 feet. The car was on the Wellsville electric line and had 15 passengers.

SECOND

Day's Session of Board of Trustees

Of the Carnegie Institution Held Today.

Carnegie's Gift of Ten Millions is Acknowledged and an Executive Committee of Seven Members Chosen.

Washington, Jan. 30—After a second day's session of the trustees of the Carnegie institution had been called to order by the chairman of the board, Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, this morning, at the new Willard, Judge Wm. M. Morrow, of California, offered a resolution acknowledging the $10,000,000 gift of Mr. Carnegie. The following executive committee was chosen: Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, Dr. D. G. Gilman, Hon. Elihu Root, Dr. J. S. Billings, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Dr. S. Weirmitchell and Dr. Chas. D. Walcott.

LEGISLATURE

At Denver, Colorado, Adopts Schley Resolutions.

Denver, Jan. 30. — The legislature adopted resolutions containing a splendid tribute to the great services and pure life of President McKinley, deploring the manner of his death and appealing to all legislative bodies to stamp out anarchy. The house unanimously adopted resolutions commending Admiral Schley and condemning the majority report of the naval board of inquiry in his case.

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VOTE

Of the Majority of Members

Of the Unions

Will Select the National Officers.

Important Action Taken by United Mine Workers' Convention.

Amendment Encountered Vigorous Opposition by the Delegates Who are Afraid of the New Scheme.

Indianapolis, Jan. 30.—The most important matter before the United Mine Workers' convention was the adoption of the amendment to the constitution recommended by the constitution committee, changing the method of electing the national officers to the popular vote of the local unions throughout the country. Heretofore the officials have been voted for in the national convention. It was upon suggestion embodied by President Mitchell in his annual report that the new section was brought to the convention for its action. On motion of Delegate Haskins of Ohio it was decided, instead of the popular, the election of officers should be made by the majority of all the members in good standing in the national, district and local organizations.

The principal opposition to the proposed new method of electing the national officers originated with W. D. Van Horn of Indiana, who urged the tabling of the amendment. Delegate Haskins of Ohio also urged against the adoption of the amendment. He said the old constitutional method had been for years satisfactory to the great body of miners in the country, and the new scheme would lead to complications and possibly, in many instances, to the loss of votes of those locals who, by having more or less scattered memberships, could not secure the majority of their members to vote within the specified limit. W. D. Ryan of Illinois favored the amendment, and said the miners of his state were strongly in favor of the initiative and referendum, and he believed all other miners felt the same way.

The convention adjourned sine die after selecting Indianapolis as the place for holding the convention next year. A ringing resolution against government by injunction was adopted, $1,000 donated to the widows and orphans of the miners killed in the Iowa disaster and a resolution adopted favoring the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion law. The joint conferences with the coal operators began today.

Nearly 200 of the big mine owners of the country are here to attend the joint conference. The operators are reticent about what course they will take, but say they will vigorously oppose the demands of the miners for an increase of 10 per cent on run-of-mine basis. The Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania operators are very much opposed to the run-of-mine basis, and say the will never agree to it. They say the change to this system would virtually mean an advance of about 15 per cent.

Casualties at a Fire.

Chicago, Jan 30.—Bravery shown by firemen saved a number of lives at a fire at 160-162 East Superior street. The blaze was in a 6-story brick building owned by the Zero Marax company, sign painters. It was partially destroyed, the damage being $45,000 to the building and $68,000 to the contents. Seven persons were injured. The basement, first and sixth floors were occupied by the Marax Sign company, the second by the Caldwell Novelty company, third by Western Match company, fourth by Superior Cigar company, fifth by Chicago Paper Can company. The fire originated in the basement and spread so rapidly that the people on the upper floors were given but a slender chance for escape. A number of these were rescued by the firemen.

Larg. Line of Bulk and Bottle Olives at Dimond Bros. 3 3

What you doin' neighbor? Helping Bill. What's Bill doin'? Helping Mandy? What's Mandy doin'? Helping Mother? What's Mother doin'? Taking Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible family. Ask your druggist.

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

No Argument Needed.

Every Sufferer from Catarrh Knows that Salves, Lotions, Washes, Sprays and Douches Do Not Cure.

Powders, lotions, salves, sprays and inhalers cannot really cure Catarrh, because this disease is a blood disease

and local applications, if they accomplish anything, at all, simply give transient relief.

The catarrhal poison is in the blood and the mucous membrane of the nose, throat and trachea tries to relieve the system by secreting large quantities of mucous, the discharge sometimes closing up the nostrils, dropping into the throat, causing deafness by closing the Eustachian tubes, and after a time causing catarrh of stomach or serious throat and lung troubles.

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal remedy which will cleanse the blood from catarrhal poison and remove the fever and congestion from the mucous membrane.

The best and most modern remedies for this purpose are antiseptics scientifically known as Eucalyptol, Guaiacol Sanguinaria and Hydrastin, and while each of these have been successfully used separately, yet it has been difficult to get them all combined in one palatable, convenient and efficient form.

The manufacturers of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, have succeeded admirably in accomplishing this result. They are large, pleasant tasting lozenges, to be dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane of the throat and finally the stomach.

Unlike many catarrh remedies, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain no cocaine, opiate or any injurious drug whatever and are equally beneficial for little children and adults.

Mr. C. R. Rembrandt, of Rochester N. Y., says: "I know of few people who have suffered as much as I from Catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. I used sprays, inhalers and powders for months at a time with only slight relief, and had no hope of cure. I had not the means to make a change of climate, which seemed my only chance of cure.

"Last spring I read an account of some remarkable cures made by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and promptly bought a fifty cent box from my druggist and obtained such positive benefit from that one package that I continued to use them daily until I now consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask and my hearing, which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved until I feel I can hear as well as ever. They are a household necessity in my family."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents for complete treatment and for convenience, safety and prompt results they are undoubtedly the long looked for catarrh cure.

THE WOMAN WHO FAINTED.

A Lesson on Courtesy In a Crowded London Theater.

Here is an example of the courtesy and good feeling of the twentieth century. How are we to account for it? The worst of it is that in such a case the innocent suffer for the guilty. When a woman does really faint, there will be some hesitation before she receives a seat, consolation and brandy.

In an overcrowded pit of one of the London theaters the other night a lady who was standing, suddenly became very faint, and another lady sitting near kindly offered her her seat. Not only this, but, seeing that she did not recover quickly, she went and fetched some restoratives from the refreshment room, whereupon the lady quickly recovered and began to thoroughly enter into the spirit of the play, apparently quite oblivious of her benefactress.

As time went on she was asked by her benefactress if she would object to her sitting down again. But the other would none of it. "Now I have a seat I mean to keep it!" she replied. Whereupon her benefactress gently reminded her that she had paid for her seat and thought that she had every right to return to it. But no amount of talking would apparently move the former.

A gentleman sitting near having watched the episode, leaned forward and said, "Do you intend to give up your seat?" "No," was the reply. Up he sprang and gently lifted her out of it. An onlooker said to a lady next to her, "I like that man." "Thank you," was the reply; "he is my husband."

There seems to be no limit to the resources used by some people to secure what they have not paid for. The lady was no more faint than any one else in the audience.—London Free Lance.

RICH

Oil Territory Said to be Found

In the Fields

That were Tested Back in the Sixties.

Wells Producing Lubricating Oil are Found in State of Kentucky.

A Big Company Organized at Paris, Kentucky, to Re-develop Old Territory in the Plum Lick District.

The incorporation at Frankfort of the Plum Lick Oil and Mining company, with headquarters in this city, was the initial step in the development of the oil resources in this county, says a dispatch from Paris, Ky. The incorporators are A. P. Allis, J. Taylor Sharrard, F. B. Sandusky, of Paris, and Boone Ingles, of Carlisle. The company will have a capital stock of $250,000.

Back in the sixties New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania capitalists prospected for oil on what is now the John Mitchell farm, near Plum Lick. They put down three wells and a rich flow of fine lubricating oil was struck. These wells were never fully developed owing to a lack of funds. Later John Mitchell purchased the farm. Convinced of the value of the oil he reopened the wells. When the accumulation of mud and water had been removed he put pumps to work and 50 barrels of oil, which he subsequently sold to the Pennsylvania Railroad company. The oil was thoroughly tested by experts who pronounced it the finest for lubricating poses they had ever had examined.

Paris business men have just returned from a trip to the Bourbon oil field. The first stop was made at the Henry Caywood farm, between Plum Lick and North Middletown. Here, in 1863, Oil City, (Penn.) prospectors bored an experimental well to a depth of 75 feet and struck lubricating oil. Unable to command the necessary capital, they plugged and capped the well. This old well was subsequently opened, and is now full of oil and water to within 10 feet of the surface. A new well is being sunk a short distance from the old one.

On the farm of Colonel J. W. Prescott, near North Middletown, the party was shown a large pool walled in on the sides. From a far corner there slowly flowed a small stream of thick, greenish-yellow oil. When the accumulated oil had been pushed away with a paddle a fresh flow took its place. The open side of the pool is thickly incrusted with accumulated oil which has gathered there for years. Samples tested gave the same results as that of the Mitchell wells. A short distance away the party was shown a bank of shelving rock where the oil had seeped to the surface for ages, apparently. This spot is regarded as one of the most promising in the field.

The company has obtained oil leases on over 10,000 acres in these localities covering all the wells mentioned, and with capital at hand will push the work of development as rapidly as men of experience in the oil mining business. Mr. Sharrard was for years a prominent Colorado silver and prospector and is an authority on oil. Mr. Sandusky is an oil expert. The other gentlemen are also well grounded in the business.

In the visiting party was Mr. W. B. Allen, of the Central Trust Company, of Paris. Mr. Allen is also an oil expert, having been for years actively engaged in the Ohio and West Virginia fields.

The geological formations in the field are similar to those of the Ohio fields, and experts say this territory is in the track of a belt which extends from the southern shores of Lake Erie down through Ohio Kentucky and Tennessee. The company is preparing to put two more drills at work in the territory.

Tales of Many Wells.

Operations in the Tennessee and Kentucky regions were suspended to permit the force to have a holiday. Before the men returned storms and floods appeared and put such a damper upon the region that operations are only now being revived.

A test well is being drilled on the Pile farm near Roads, in Tennessee.

At Pall Mall they have some small producers and one known as the Wright farm well, near Abe Williams, is being drilled deeper. It was drilled to about 1,000 feet in the first effort. The well is run as a species of mystery and speculators are not delighted with the outcome.

The two Cusac wells which are now the property of the Interstate Oil company, are being pumped once every second day and produce about five barrels to the pumping.

Between Sunny Brook, Ky., and the Bobs bar well in Tennessee, there is considerable activity. The Bay State company has a well just complete that shows to be a fair producer, perhaps 10 barrels.

The Murry well, at Eastport, is also deep enough for the upper pay, which is found at that part of the region at 400 feet.

S. W. VanCleve, of Lima, has taken up territory near Danville, Ky., and has a well in progress.

The test well at Enbanks, a few miles northeast of Somerset, is down about 1,300 feet now, and is now in a good specimen of oil sand.

At Beach Grove, in the region of Owensboro, Ky. they have a well that does four barrels an hour at a depth of only 125 feet from the surface of the ground.

Great excitement prevails and lands in the vicinity are taken on sight by lease men, who have instructions to get them anyhow.

At Wockoff, Ky., a test well is being drilled from which a good sample of lubricating oil is bailed daily as the work progresses.

The No. 5 Bertram, at Sunny Brook, Ky., is the farthest producer from the original development. It is situated to the southwest.

The showing for a gas field of good value in the eastern part of Wayne county is exciting more and more interest. The Mt. Pisgah strike several weeks ago, followed by another in the same region last week suggests possibilities in gas production that are interesting. The McConnaughy well No. 2 gave out a strong gas flow at 250 feet, accompanied with saltwater and a show of oil, and their No. 1 at the junction of Beaver and Otter creeks was drilled to a depth of 1,210 feet with something over a thousand feet of oil in the hole. Three pay sands were struck in this well at depths of 278, 760 and 821 feet. No more instructive hole has been made in the territory than this one, in that it has developed at least five producing sands in Wayne county.

A nitro-glycerine works will shortly be established near Somerset, Ky. It is a great necessity, as the use of the compound will be only a question of a short time throughout the whole region. The doses, however, that are the rule in Ohio and Indiana, will probably never be administered in Kentucky or Tennessee.

Ed Wilson, who is interested in lands near Somerset went to New York not long since to interest capital in Kentucky developments. He says he was met at every turn with the proposition, "What about Texas?" As he was not prepared to make speedy and emphatic reply and could therefore not repel the false implications, he had to return to await further developments.

A Toledo operator has information from an inside source that it might be well enough for the illuminating trade to go a little slow at this juncture that a good percentage of refined oil can be obtained from it.

The National Oil Reporter gives a detailed statement of the producing, drilling wells and rigs in the Kentucky fields in its last number, January 23. In its statement at the end of the article it is said that there is a pipe line in the field and producers find a ready market for their oil. The line is running about 600 barrels a day. The production of the wells is then 3,000 and this is placed at 2,570 barrels a day. What becomes of the 1,970 barrels not run by the pipe line? The report is misleading and arises from incompetency in the gathering from the first day's yield of the wells of data. The reporter evidently gave and made no allowance for decline. This is no unusual error, but it is one that only oil men, practical men, detect. The same report states that there were 19 rigs and 21 drilling wells in the state on the first day of January 1902.

A Texas Reservoir.

It is announced that George B. Mecheim, senior member of the banking firm of Mecham & Co., New York, is at the head of a combination of capitalists whise aim is to construct a reservoir at Port Arthur, Texas, for the purpose of storing oil. The "pit" is to contain a million barrels. The reservoir will be lined with brick and cement and will be thoroughly protected from the dangers of fire.

This is intended to remove the objections raised by large consumers of fuel, that there is not sufficient oil on the surface to warrant a change of the fuel appliances. It would be more satisfactory to know that the oil was on the surface than a thousand feet below.

Wood County Wells.

Mr. Dallas Whipple has just completed well No. 40 in the Six Points section of Portage township, Wood county. It is situated on the Benshoter farm, east of Jerry City two miles. It will make an average well for that community. Mr. Whipple is much pleased with his investment there and says that he expects to be pumping oil when the water stuff of the country has gone hence. He is also completing another well on the Sanglin farm, two miles west of Bowling Green. This well is full of water, with a showing of oil.

Chidester, of Bowling Green, is completing a well on the Redman farm at Bays, in Liberty township, Wood county, that is flowing at intervals in old-time style. It started gushing yesterday while drilling in the sand, at the rate of 50 barrels an hour.

BETTER BE SURE.

It Makes a Difference Whether a Medicine has been Tried or Not.

Of many things we may be absolutely certain. For instance we know that fire consumes combustible materials and that water quenches fire. We know these things from the nature of the elements, fire and water, and from observation and experience.

An intelligent person puts oil into a lamp, feeling absolutely certain it will burn and give light. He knows this is the nature of the oil and this is what it has done in all previous experience. But suppose he poured into the lamp some other fluid resembling oil in appearance, but of the nature of which he had no knowledge. There would be no certainty about the results and they might be disasterous and even fatal.

The argument is precisely the same in regard to medicines. Every intelligent reader knows that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures rheumatism dyspepsia, scrofula, catarrh, and all diseases caused by bad blood. How does he know this? Exactly the same as in the illustrations. He knows the nature of the medicine—it is scientifically prepared by experienced pharmacists from ingredients that are known to possess curative properties. Then he knows that in actual experience, Hood's Sarsaparilla does cure these diseases. He therefore takes this medicine with perfect confidence that he will derive from it the benefit he desires.

But suppose the druggist offers him instead of Hood's Sarsaparilla a bottle of his own preparation. He has never heard of it before. He knows nothing of its nature or effects. True it may be cheaper as water is cheaper than oil, but what he wants is a medicine that is certain to cure.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is proven by its record of cures, and in its intrinsic power to cure. The testimonials of those who have taken it must convince any intelligent person of this. You may take it for stomach trouble, kidney and liver disease, nervousness, or any other disease that is caused or promoted by impure or impoverished blood and feel certain that the result will be a cure.

The Necessity of Salt.

Although in treaties on dietetics salt figures as a condiment, it is universally recognized to be something more: indeed it is an indispensable element of the food of man and animals. A well known authority asserts, says The Medical Press and Circular, that whenever the annual consumption of salt falls below twenty pounds per head of population the public health is likely to suffer. The deprivation of salt does not produce a definite disease, but reduces the vitality of the organism as a whole, so that the victims of administrative measures which restrict the consumption of salt more readily fall prey to prevailing epidemics, as well as to endemic maladies.

Threw Up the Sponge.

His Loving Spouse (who has been talking for five minutes without a break)—I'd like to know, now, what you've got to say for yourself. When you went down town I told you exactly the kind of bath sponge I wanted, and you wrote it down, and now you bring me this miserable, pitiful, good for nothing. What are you throwing that sponge up in the air for?

Mr. Meeker—My dear, it's the only thing I can do.—Chicago Tribune.

Straightforward.

He—You mustn't believe every beggar who comes to your door.

She—But this was no common beggar. He was a sea captain who had lost everything in a shipwreck.

He—How do you know he was?

She—He told a straightforward story about how his ship went to pieces on the coast of Switzerland.—Philadelphia Press.

There is no surer beginning for a home than simple furnishing. In simplicity lie safety, reason and art. There is nothing finer nor higher. It is supreme.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Some peach growers in California skin their peaches by rapid handling in lye baths.

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To Piqua, Ohio, Account of Y. M. C. A. Biennial Convention.

For the above occasion the C. H. & D. R. R. will sell tickets to Piqua, O., at one fare for the round trip, selling tickets February 13 14 and 15, good returning to and including February 17, 1902.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Patterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10586.

Ex. Doc. 14. Page 92.

Charles S. King, plaintiff

vs.

Charles H. Scott, et al., defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, March 1st, 1902.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Situated in the city of Lima, and known as twenty-five and one-half feet of the west side of inlot number hundred and twenty-eight (228) East addition to the town of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, now number hundred and ninety-two (292) in name of Minnie Scott and fronting 25½ feet on east High street and extending back two hundred feet to an alley. (House No. 415)

Appraised at $3100.00.

Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 22, 1902.

Smith & Taft and Pocker & Baker, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Edward Conner, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that, on the 16th day of January A. D. 1902, in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio where the action is now pending, being No. 10836, the undersigned, Mary Conner, filed her petition against said Edward Conner, praying for a divorce from him on the ground of gross neglect of duty and habitual drunkenness; said cause will be for hearing after the 28th day of February, 1902.

MARY CONNER,

John H. Klatte, plaintiff's attorney.

January 17-6wks.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

The undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of John W. Potter, deceased, late of Bath township, Allen county, Ohio.

All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment; and those having claims against the estate are required to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

Signed for allowance at the office of Klinger & Quail.

Done this 20th day of January, 1902.

ELLA H. POTTER,

Administratrix.

Klinger and Quail, Attys.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No. 10540

Ex. Doc. 14. Page

Sarah Potter Paine, Plaintiff

vs.

Frank C. Parrott, et al., defendants.

Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Saturday, February 8, 1902

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements situate in Perry township, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Fifty-two (52) acres of land in the south part of the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-nine (29) in township four (4) south range nine (9) east, specifically described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter (¼) of said section twenty-nine (29); running thence north on the west line of said quarter section, fifty-three and one-half (53½) rods; thence east to the east line of said quarter section, thence south fifty-three and one half (53½) rods to the southeast corner of said quarter section; thence west on the south line of said quarter section to the place of beginning, containing fifty-three and one-third (53 1-3) acres of land more or less, except therefrom that part conveyed by the said Anderson Parrott to the Ohio Southern Railroad Company as and for a right of way and comprising one and one-third (1 1-3) acres, and leaving in the tract so conveyed fifty-two (52) acres, more or less.

Appraised at $2500.00

Terms of sale: Cash

E. J. Barr,

Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio January 6, 1902

HENDERSON & ROGERS,

Plaintiff's Attorneys

Lima, Ohio, Jan. 6-tf

LEGAL NOTICE.

William F. Knoth, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 6th day of December A. D. 1901, Jessie S. Knoth filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, against said defendant, in case No. 10880, praying for a divorce from said defendant, William F. Knoth, on grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty and for alimony pendente lite, permanent alimony and for the custody of their minor child, and that he is required to make answer in said cause to said petition on or before the 18th day of February A. D. 1902, or judgment will be taken against him.

JESSIE S. KNOTH.

By J. D. Armstrong, her attorney.

Lima, Ohio, Jan. 7-6w

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Wigwag—"Here is a very interesting article called 'The Last Words of Famous Men.'" Henpeckke — "Great scot! I didn't know that even fame men could ever get in the last word. There, hold on; maybe they weren't married."

Old Fashioned Cold Cures

are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to lie abed a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in 24 hours. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Silicus—"It is well to remember that the Lord helps them that help themselves." Cynicus — "I suppose that's the reason that most people are so busy helping themselves that they haven't time to help others."

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doesn't cure your piles, your money will be returned. It is the most healing medicine.

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Reader—You will confer a lasting favor and receive a reward, if you will report the name of dealers trying to sell you a substitute for the Madison Medicine Co.'s Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

WENT

Gunning for the Thieves

But the Shots

Flew Wide and the Men Escaped.

South Side Residents Make it Warm for Would-be Housebreakers.

Another Unsuccessful Attempt Made, This Time Home of Wm. Ashton, of Metcalf Street Being Visited.

This locality seems to be infested by a gang of would-be burglars. Fortunately, of all the attempts made recently, none have yet been successful. Owing to bunglesome manner in which the endeavor to operate, strengthens the belief the talent is local. In each instance in the past two weeks the persons have been detected before they could carry out their designs. Last night, several families were disturbed on Second street by prowlers about the premises The occupants of the houses they visited were upon the alert and the miscreants were frightened away. At William Ashton's, on south Metcalf street, Tuesday night, some mauraders were essaying to enter the house when their crude manipulations attracted the attention of the inmates. The alarm was given and several neighbors responded. They fired at the fleeing men but did not succeed in hurting them. They had torn off a screen at a side window of the house, when they were discovered. The people are vigilant being hopeful of yet capturing the fellows who have been terrorizing this community.

Dr. M. Briggs, of Kenton, is calling upon his numerous friends in this vicinity. He says the citizens at Kenton are elated by the offer of seventeen hundred dollars by Andrew Carnegie, for the building of a public library at that place. The requisite ten thousand dollars endowment was quickly given by Louis Merriman and the council has voted the necessary funds for the support of the institution. It is expected to have the library built early in the spring.

Dora, the young daughter of A. D. DeVoe, of south Elizabeth street, who was convalescent from a severe illness has suffered a relapse and is in a serious condition.

C. M. Priestop, of Sidney, visited today with L. E. Kraft on east Kibby street.

Mrs. G. J. Griffin is home from a pleasant sojourn at Mendon.

The entire family of Patrick Finn, on Greenlawn avenue, is afflicted with measles.

C. F. Ash, of Toledo, called upon friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Albert Tompkins will entertain friends at her home on south Elizabeth street tonight.

Dr. F. C. Bates is at Paulding, being subpoenoed to testify in the case on trial there in which Mrs. Sarah Watkins, formerly of west Kibby street is involved. William Ashton is also among the local witnesses.

The home of Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, on Second street, has been gladdened by the advent of a charming baby girl.

Charles Cahill has again resumed his duties at McGriff's, after a week's severe illness.

C. L. Wheeler, of west Kibby street, has for his guest L. J. Lilly, a prominent oil operator from Dukes Center, Pa.

In a short time Rev. A. D. Welty will begin the erection of a chapel at the corner of Florence avenue and Second street. It will be of the Christian Alliance denomination. For a number of years Mr. Welty has been in charge of a mission in south Lima. He has accomplished a prodigious task in organizing Sunday schools and doing all these years he has labored without recompense. As there is now a thoroughly organized congregation the members deem it their duty to build a church and place Rev. Welty in charge upon a sufficient salary, as a partial remuneration for the time and money he has spent in their behalf. This mark of esteem is thoroughly appreciated by Mr. Welty who will undoubtedly make the church one of the most prominent in this portion of the city. For the present he will continue the Sunday school and preaching services at his residence.

Miss Lulu Reed elegantly entertained about thirty young friends at her home on south Pine street last night with a masquerade and card party. The costumes worn were grotesque and elegant. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. The evening's pleasantries were mutually enjoyable and continued to a late hour.

A. C. Cooney, of Kenton, has returned home. He came here from McGuffey, where he defended a man named Oystermyer, upon the charge of robbery. Oystermyer was formerly marshal of the village. He only recently was arrested for shooting a man at McGuffey.

Adam Simons is home from Upper Sandusky, where he was upon a business engagement yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, of south Pine street, have had their home gladdened by the advent of a pretty baby girl.

Mrs. P. A. Larin entertained friends at her home on south Elizabeth street this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stepleton, of east Eureka street, are the happy parents of a charming baby girl that came to their home yesterday.

Mrs. McComb will entertain the 1902 Podro club this evening.

Several sleighing parties are arranging for tonight if nothing unforseen prevents.

J. A. Robins, residing near McGuffey, was here last night in a business capacity. He says the burning of the warehouse at that place Tuesday entailed a loss of onions amounting to over three thousand dollars. The building was owned by a man at Bowling Green and the onions by J. B. Seymore, of Kenton. A number of cars standing upon the siding near the building were in danger of burning when a passing train stopped long enough to remove them a safe distance.

W. D. Myers from Ada, is spending a few days with friends here. He says the citizens of that place are making every effort to raise the ten thousand dollars as a condition upon which Henry Dukes, of Hancock county will give an additional twenty thousand for the building of a much needed recitation building. So far only a very small amount of the required sum has been subscribed. To lend to the embarrasment Kenton is offering the money, and a large bonus besides if Dr. Belt, the new president, of the university, and a resident of Kenton, will lend his influence in having the school removed to Kenton.

Some very flattering inducements are being made which with present conditions and considering that all of the trustees are Kenton men makes the possibility of the rumors likely.

Rev. W. H. Leatherman, spending several days as the guest of Rev. Hagerman, has returned to his charge at DeGraff.

GIVE OUR SIDE A CHANCE.

In our article yesterday taken from the New York Herald, headed "Business Men in Theatricals," we observe that "The Girl From Chill" would make a few stops before opening their engagement in San Francisco. Why can't we have this company stop one night with us? They surely must have a first class company to contemplate an extended run in the western metropolis. Such a company would be a relief from some of those that we get occasionally. Give us a chance.

MRS. HULDA JAKEMAN

Wife of President Jakeman of Elders of the Mormon Church, Salt Lake City, Utah, Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound For Woman's Periodic Pains.

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days in bed with intense pain and suffering. I was under the physicians care for over a year without any relief, when my attention was called to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound by several of our **Mormon women who had been cured through its use.** I began its systematic use and improved gradually in health, and after the use of six bottles my health was completely restored, and for over two years I have had neither ache or pain. You have a truly wonderful remedy for women. Very sincerely yours, MRS. HULDA JAKEMAN, Salt Lake City, Utah."
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WAR

Revenues are to be Cut Down.

New Measure

Is Decided Upon by the Committee.

Majority Favor a Practical Repeal of the Entire War Taxes.

Subject of Cuban Reciprocity to be Shelved for the Present—Proceedings of the National Congress.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Republican members of the ways and means committee held a private conference and decided to frame a bill for the reduction of war revenue taxes before proceeding further with the subject of Cuban reciprocity. No draft of a bill has been prepared by the Republican members, but it is pretty fully understood that the majority is prepared to favor a measure effecting very large reductions, amounting practically to a repeal of the entire war taxes. The restriction of recent hearings to beer and tea led to the belief that reductions might be confined to these two articles, but the sentiment of the majority now appears to be favorable to a much larger reduction. At the conference it was the prevailing view that, as Cuba had been the cause for incurring the war revenue tax, and the burden should be removed from this country before considering the extent of relief to be granted Cuba.

Senate and Press Censorship.

Washington, Jan 30. — The senate had under discussion the question whether a censorship of press dispatches exists in Manilla. The debate for a time was very spirited. The secretary of war was quoted as saying that no press censorship now existed in the Philippines, and a letter from General Greeley, chief signal officer of the army, was presented by Mr. Beveridge of Indiana making the statement officially that there was no censorship of press dispatches, and that "the press is entirely free." It was contended by the opposition that a press censorship did exist in Philippines, and that every news dispatch filed with the cable company was filed with the military authorities. That it was maintained, constituted a virtual censorship. Mr. Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, delivered an extended and carefully prepared speech on the history of the reciprocity negotiations.

Presidential Appointment.

Washington, Jan. 30. — It was announced that President Roosevelt had decided upon renominating C. M. Barrett as surveyor of the port of Louisville, Ky., and Webster Flannigan as collector of internal revenue of the Third Texas collection district. Webster Street, who was chief justice of the supreme court of Arizona, will not, it is said, serve another term. He will be succeeded by Edward Kent, now assistant United States attorney in Colorado. Mr. Kent is a son of the late ex-Governor Kent of Maine. Judge Street's term will expire in March.

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ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT

Between the Fleets of the Colombian Government and Revolutionists.

Panama, Colombia, Jan. 30. — The Colombian government fleet, consisting of the steamers Boyaca and Chucuito and the armed launch General Campo, which left here to make an attempt to break the blockade of Agua Dulce, where the revolutionary fleet was last seen, and to communicate with General Castro, the Colombian commander, met the insurgent steamer Padilla at Veguala, 20 miles from Panama, and opened fire on her. The revolutionary steamers Darien and Gaitan appeared on the scene soon after the engagement began. The fire of the Chucuito was so well directed that it caused the revolutionary fleet to draw in toward the shore, where the rebel ships were protected by land batteries. The Chucuito and Boyaca then retired, unmolested.

Germany Out of It.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The statement emanating from Paris that the powers were privy to the proposals of Dr. Kuyper, the Dutch premier, to Great Britain on the subject of peace in South Africa, and approved this step beforehand, is denied without reservation here, insofar as the German government is concerned. The German cabinet is maintaining an absolute neutral attitude, and will not concern itself with anything that has the appearance of meddling in this matter.

Entertaining Admiral Schley.

Louisville, Jan. 30.—In spite of the bad weather more than 2,000 persons visited the board of trade and shook Admiral Schley's tired but still ready and willing right hand. Lunch at the Pendenis club followed, and later the admiral was the guest of honor at the annual banquet of the board of trade at the Galt House. The room was flower-laden. The guests sat at five long tables and numbered 200.

In Front of a Train.

Jackson, O., Jan. 30.—Harvey Rice, a well known citizen of this county, was run over and instantly killed by a local freight. Two engines were working on a double track, and the supposition is that the unfortunate man stepped in front of one and was caught by the local, which was coming from the opposite direction.

Murderer's Body Found.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 30.—The body of George Rakes was found near a public highway in Wayne county, 20 miles south of here. Rakes severed his wife's head with a hatchet in this city Sunday last and escaped. A posse was in pursuit, and the supposition is that he died from exposure. The body was covered with snow.

Chinese In Female Garb.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Isaac Putney, a farmer of Lisbon, was arrested while driving into the city with a number of Chinamen dressed in women's clothes. The Chinamen, according to the authorities, were brought from Canada during the night.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Jan. 29.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice dry fed steers, 1,200 lbs. and upwards, $5 50@5 75; good to choice dry fed, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $5 00@5 25; green half fat, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., $4 40@4 60; green half fat, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 00@4 40; good to choice heifers, $4 75@5 25; fair to good heifers, $4 00@4 50; cows, common to choice, $3 00@4 00; bulls, good to choice, $3 50@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wether sheep, $4 50@4 60; fair to good mixed sheep, $4 00@4 25; culls and common, $2 00@3 50; lambs, good to choice, $5 50@5 65; fair to good, $5 50@5 60; culls and common, $4 50@4 75. Calves—Fair to best, $7 00@7 75. Hogs—Yorkers, $6 10; mediums and heavies, $6 40.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $6 50@7 60; poor to medium, $4 50@6 00; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 75; cows, $1 00@5 25; heifers, $2 50@5 25; canners, $1 00@2 50; bulls, $2 25@4 65; Texas fed steers, $4 00@5 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $4 50@5 00; fair to choice mixed $3 75@4 50; western fed sheep $4 00@5 00; native lambs, $3 00@6 00; western fed lambs, $5 00@5 80. Calves — $2 50@6 50. Hogs — Mixed and butchers, $5 80@6 35; good to choice heavy, $6 15@6 40; rough heavy, $5 90@6 10; light, $5 50@6 05. Wheat—No. 2 red, 82½@83½c. Corn—No. 3, 56½@57c. Oats—No. 2, 42@42½c.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Good to prime, $6 50@6 65; fair to good exporters, $5 75@6 25; shipping, $5 50@5 60; butchers, $4 25@5 40; cows, $3 00@4 50; heifers, $3 50@5 25; bulls, $3 00@4 50; feeders, fair to good, $4 00@4 50; stockers, common to good, $3 50@4 25. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 40@6 00; fair to good, $5 50@5 75; culls and common, $4 50@5 25; mixed sheep, $4 25@4 50; culls and bucks, $2 75@3 25; wethers, yearlings, $4 75@5 25. Hogs—Pigs, $5 30@5 90; Yorkers, $6 20; medium and heavy, $6 35@6 45.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $6 60@6 75; prime, $6 25@6 50; good, $5 60@6 00; tidy butchers, $4 00@5 35; fair, $4 40@4 85; heifers, $3 50@5 00; cows, bulls and stags, $2 00@4 25; fresh cows, $25 00@60 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 60@4 75; good, $4 25@4 50; fair, $3 50@4 10; choice lambs, $5 80@5 90; common to good, $4 00@5 75. Hogs—Prime heavy, $6 45@6 50; mediums, $6 30@6 40; heavy Yorkers, $6 15@6 25; light Yorkers, $5 90@6 10; pigs, $5 70@5 80.

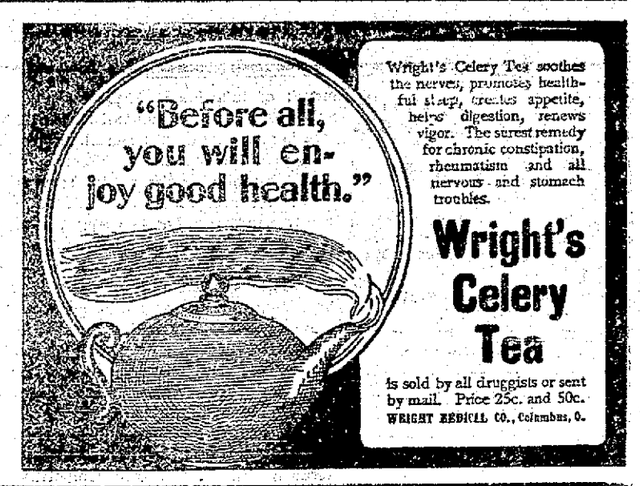
COLUMBUS—Fruits and Vegetables—Jobbers' Selling Prices—Cabbage: York state, 35c per cwt. Celery—Ohio, $2 00@3 00 per case; California, $3 50@3 75; per doz., 60@65c. Cranberries—Per bbl., $7 00; per crate, $2 25@2 50. Honey—24 sections, per lb., 17@18c. Potatoes—85@87c per bu. Sweet Potatoes—Mediums, $3 00; Jerseys, $1 25 per bbl. Apples—Icy York Imp., $4 50. Maple Syrup—Per gal., 90c. Onions—$3 75 per bbl.; red and white, $3 75 per bbl.; Spanish, $1 75 per crate.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $5 30@6 25; common state steers, $3 75; oxen, $3 75@5 40; bulls, $2 65@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 00@4 50; culls, $1 50@2 50; lambs, $6 50@6 85; culls, $4 00@4 50. Calves—Veals, $5 00@9 00. Hogs — State and Pennsylvania, $6 20@6 50. Wheat—No. 2 red, 83c. Corn—No. 2, 67⅝c. Oats—No. 2, 47½@48c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 90@90½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 62@62½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 47c. Rye—No. 2, 66c. Lard—$9 15. Bulk Meats—$8 80. Bacon—$9 65. Hogs — $4 65@6 40. Cattle — $2 25@5 85. Sheep—$2 00@4 00. Lambs—$4 25@5 85.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 24@25c. Eggs—Fresh, 27@28c.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 87½c; corn, 59½c; oats, 45½c; cloverseed, $5 80.



Wright's Celery Tea soothes the nerves, promotes healthful sleep, creates appetite, helps digestion, renews vigor. The surest remedy for chronic constipation, rheumatism and all nervous and stomach troubles.

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HIS NOSE WAS SAFE.

But His Nerves Were In a State of Cold Chill Collapse.

"I was sitting on the veranda of a far western hotel one afternoon," said the Boston drummer, "and was lazily smoking one of the nicest meerschaum pipes you ever saw when out of the tail of my eye I saw that a native down at the other end of the veranda had his gun sighted at me. They were a wild lot around there, and I couldn't tell whether he meant to shoot me or the pipe. The chances were in favor of the pipe, however, and it seemed a good chance to test my nerve. I made up my mind to let him shoot and to pretend a careless air, but I'm telling you in the ten or fifteen seconds of waiting the sweat came out at every pore and my heart pounded my ribs sore. I felt a sort of tick at the bowl of the pipe, heard the crack of the gun and knew that the bullet had passed through the pipe. I got a brace with my hands and feet and waited for a second bullet, and it went through the bowl after the first. I sat there until his fourth bullet had hit the pipe and knocked the bowl off the stem, and then the shooter sauntered up to me and laughingly said:

"'Excuse me, stranger, but I thought it was imitation.'

"'Same as you are,' I replied.

"My gibe hurt him, but he was man enough to tell everybody about my nerve, and the boys chipped in sufficient nuggets to buy me this fifty dollar smoker. Say, do you know what happened to me when I made an excuse to go up stairs after my old corncob? I had no sooner got into my room than my knees gave out, chills galloped up my spine, and I'll be hanged if I didn't faint away and lie there for ten minutes. It had suddenly occurred to me that the bowl of that pipe was only six inches from my nose while the fellow was doing his shooting, and I have not yet got over touching my nasal organ now and then to see if it is safe."

REMARKABLE CURE FOR CROUP.

A Little Boy's Life Saved.

I have a few words to say regarding Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It saved my little boy's life and I feel that I cannot praise it enough. I bought a bottle of it from A. E. Steer, of Goodwin, S. D., and when I got home with it the poor baby could hardly breathe. I gave the medicine as directed every ten minutes until he "threw up" and then I thought sure he was going to choke to death. We had to pull phlegm out of his mouth in great long strings. I am positive that if I had not got that bottle of cough medicine, my boy would not be on earth today.—Joel Demont, Inwood, Iowa. For sale by Wm. Melville, old post office corner.

Reasons For His Belief.

"Do you think, young man," he said, "that you will be able to take care of my daughter Flora in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"I think so, sir," answered the young man confidently. "She refused to go to the concert with me last week because she said she had 'nothing to wear.'"—London Fun.

It Girdles the Globe.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the only perfect healer of cuts, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, felons, aches, pains, and all skin eruptions. Only infallible pile cure. 25c a box at H. F. Vortkamp's, corner Main and North streets.

The child that cries for the moon may grow up and want the earth.

For an absolutely harmless remedy there is nothing in the world equal to Bromo-Pepsin for acute indigestion, headache, nausea, insomnia, and mental exhaustion. It does not merely relieve—it cures. All druggists. 10c, 25c and 50c., per bottle.

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INDIAN PRAIRIE DOG HUNTS

The Little Animals Are Deemed a Dainty Dish by the Navajoes.

The Navajo Indian, while he cannot be prevailed upon to eat a rabbit, is greedily fond of fat prairie dogs. Large communities of these small animals abound on the western plains, and the Navajo has resorted to many ingenious methods for trapping his coveted dainty. One of them is by the aid of a bit of mirror placed at the entrance to a burrow. When the animal ventures from his bedroom, deep under ground, he sees a familiar image mocking him at the front door, and he hurries out to confront the impudent intruder, when he is pinned to the ground with an arrow.

But the most effective method is what the Indians call the rain hunt. As soon as the steady downpour of summer rains begin every Navajo who can walk repairs to the prairie dog village with hoes, sharp sticks or any digging implement. With these they hollow out trenches that will lead the storm water into as many burrows as possible. Soon a little stream is pouring down each small home, and the inmate, much disturbed, pops out to see what the matter can be. Many of the animals remain under ground until they are drowned, and their bodies float to the surface.

After such a hunt, in which many pounds of prairie dogs are generally secured, there is a feast for many days in the Navajo huts.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

"Some time ago my daughter caught a severe cold. She complained of pains in her chest and had a bad cough. I gave her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy according to directions and in two days she was well and able to go to school. I have used this remedy in my family for the past seven years and have never known it to fail," says James Prendergest, merchant, Annato Bay, Jamaica, West India Islands. The pains in the chest indicated an approaching attack of pneumonia, which in this instance was undoubtedly warded off by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It counteracts any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. Sold by Wm. Melville, old post office corner.

MARDI GRAS.

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New Orleans, February 11th. Great Mid-Winter Fete in the world; wierd and beautiful. Low rate excursions Queen & Crescent Route. Finest train service in the South. Two fast 24-hour trains every day in the year from Cincinnati. The trip through the beautiful southern country is a holiday in itself. All inquiries gladly answered. Free printed matter.

W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A.,
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W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try **Foley's Kidney Cure.** The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." Take no substitute.

H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

The vaudeville performer sometimes gets to be a crank from doing too many turns.

A Cure for Lumbago.

W. C. Williamson, of Amherst, Va., says: "For more than a year I suffered from lumbago. I finally tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me entire relief, which all other remedies had failed to do. Sold by Wm. Melville, old post office corner.

No, Maude, dear; the Iron Trust is not composed of laundrymen.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Member of Congress.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES H. ADKINS as a candidate for the endorsement by the Democrats of Allen county as their candidate for Member of Congress from this District.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce the name of EVAN R. JONES, of Sugar Creek township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. J. JULKINS, of Marion township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOMAS GRUBB, of Amanda township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

Infirmary Director.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES GOBLE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of GUS OEN, of German township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. B. MANAHAN, of Auglaize township, as a candidate for County Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

Water Works Trustee.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES PORTER, the L. E. & W. fireman, for Water Works trustee, subject to the decision of the voters at the Democratic primary election.

Member of School Board.

We are authorized to announce the name of ROBERT W. PARMENTER, as a candidate for Member of School Board, subject to the Sixth ward Democratic primary.

Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce the name of FRANK E. DUFFIELD, as a candidate for nomination for second term for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

AS TO RAW MATERIALS.

Control over supplies of raw materials and potential influences over agencies of transportation are essential elements in the prosperity and permanency of industrial combinations, whether of high or low degree. These conditions of paramountcy once secured, there remain to be considered only the allied factors of production involved in location, superintendence and application of machinery and labor.

In the silent but earnest conflict of independent steel makers with the Steel Trust, for example, the pressure of monopoly has been most clearly apparent not in competition in domestic or foreign markets, but in the gradual exclusion of the independents from sources of raw material once open to all. Sheet steel mills not afflicted with the Trust cannot get steel bars in quantity sufficient for the demands of their trade, and have been constrained to make new provision for independence in this regard. They will build their own furnaces and mills, buy and reduce their own ores, and thus realize the conditions of a strong and continuing opposition to an apparently overwhelming industrial and commercial force.

As the possibilities and limitations of ambitious latter-day attempts to render all men tributary to a few are more closely studied and more open-eyed wonder at their magnitude vanishes, there is incited an industrial reaction which tends steadily and powerfully to re-distribute the elements of laboriously acquired monopoly. Concentrated control if this nature is abhorrent to the American business world, because if effective, it would establish a permanent relation of master and servant in a country where there can be no classes. The workman of to-day may be the Trust president of tomorrow, the shrewdest devices of syndicate organization may be frustrated summarily by some unknown and accidental discoverer or inventor. Educated humanity works first of all for itself and cannot be yoked in perpetual servitude to a system of industrial despotism.

The effort of independent sheet steel manufacturers to help themselves affords a glimpse of future competitive conditions calculated to reassure a people dazed with aggressive combinations in many branches of productive industry. Wherever a Trust is, there also are planted the seeds of commercial and industrial antagonism. The right to work includes the right to invent, to organize and to enjoy the fruits of success, nor can any associated congeries of interests prove permanently obstructive to men of adventurous spirit, inventive genius and supreme capacity for energizing competitive forces.

THE STAGE.

"ONE OF THE BRAVEST" TONIGHT.

"One of the Bravest," a play that formerly had a great following in this city will be the attraction at the Faurot tonight.

Since it was last seen in Lima, Charles McCarthy has played the piece all around the world and it returns with a new outfit of scenery and a fine acting company, including William Cronin in his original part of "Mrs. Grogan." The great fire scene, introducing an engine, a team of Arabian horses and a complete apparatus as used by the New York fire department. Popular prices will prevail.

NEIL BURGESS IN "THE COUNTY FAIR."

"The County Fair" gives a series of quaint and life-like pictures of New England farm life which is altogether delightful. As a piece of genuine and life-like character painting Mr. Burgess' "Abigail" can justly take rank with the "Rip Van Winkle" of Joseph Jefferson, also the "Joshua Whitcomb" of Denman Thompson. The play contains all sorts of mechanical work, and the introduction of a husking bee, and several horses, all lend a reality to the scenes. The play is well acted throughout, and better than all, it is pure and clean.

SAMPSON

Will be on the Retired List Next Week.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Navy orders today announce the retirement of Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson on February 9, next.

East Liberty Market.

East Liberty, Jan. 30.—Cattle light, steady; hogs light, active; sheep fair, steady.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures quickly and permanently. At any drug store.

KENTUCKY

Also Visited by Severe Snow and Sleet Storms.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 30.— Owensboro is completely buried in sleet. The damage to business interests is estimated at $75,000. The Cumberland Telephone company and Home Telephone company wires are twisted and broken to pieces, blockading the streets. Their loss is $15,000. The electric plant is shut down and the gas plant is in bad shape. Business of all kinds is practically suspended. Forces of hands are trying to clear the streets and pavements of fallen trees. The telegraph wires were nearly all prostrated.

F—i—s—h at Townsend's.

Union Men Locked Out.

Kansas City, Jan. 30. — About 100 bench hands employed by six leading firms here were locked out because of an attempt of the industrial council to form a union of bread-wagon drivers. Hereafter, the bakers say, they will employ nonunion men.

Big Blaze.

Wolcott, Ind., Jan. 30.—Fire, originating in the Odd Fellows' hall over Spencer's drug store, wiped out nearly the entire business section of the city, entailing a property loss of more than $120,000, not more than half of which is covered by insurance.

SALISBURY'S SON.

Young Peer Who Has Stirred Up a Lively International Debate.

Lord Cranborne, who has just stirred European diplomatic circles to its profoundest depths by his statement in the British house of commons that but for England the powers would have intervened to prevent the Spanish-American war, is the eldest son of the Marquis of Salisbury, premier of England.

Viscount Cranborne entered parliament seven years ago at the age of twenty-five and until recently had done nothing to distinguish himself as a statesman. He has shown nothing of the ability and brilliancy that might be expected from the son of his father.

Young Cranborne was educated in Oxford and was married to the daughter of the fifth Earl of Arran. He has represented the Darwen division of Lancashire and for several years has sat for Rochester. He is undersecretary of state for foreign affairs. Lord Cranborne will succeed his father as Marquis of Salisbury.

Photo by Elliott & Fry, London.
LORD CRANBORNE.

It was an impressive scene in the house of commons when the young statesman, in answer to a question from the Liberal side, stated that Great Britain had refused to entertain a proposition from the European powers that joint action be taken to prevent the outbreak of hostilities between the United States and Spain. The announcement that England had refused to interfere, which was made amid absolute silence, was received with a burst of ringing cheers such as seldom greet the mere answer to a parliamentary question.

Both Germany and Russia have hastened to disclaim any participation in the proposed intervention. The proposition, it is alleged, emanated from Austria and had the support of some of the powers in a tentative way, but the unwillingness, it is said, of Germany, Russia and England to interfere in the matter caused its final rejection.

NEWEST STAGE BEAUTY.

Denver Widow Who Has Captivated New York Theater Goers.

The latest stage beauty to capture New York is Mrs. W. P. M. Stevens, a charming Colorado widow. Personal charm rather than histrionic ability is the cause of the vogue of the lady in question. Her stage name is Dessa Gibson, and she made her initial appearance as one of the famous "Florodora" sextet.

Among her friends she is known as "Gibson's widow" because of her resemblance to the character made famous in "A Widow and Her Friends," by Mr. Charles Dana Gibson, the artist.

Photo by Burr McIntosh, New York.
MRS. W. P. M. STEVENS.

Dessa Gibson looks like a healthy English girl. She has brilliant coloring, a profusion of golden hair, blue eyes and a sweet expression. Romance has also figured in the career of the newest "Florodora" beauty. She fell in love and was married—not in the conventional way in church, but in a truly romantic elopement, which was not made public until the death of her husband, Mr. W. P. M. Stevens, a prominent Denver capitalist.

WRECK

Near Anna Station on the C. H. & D.

Caused Slight Delay to Traffic at That Point.

The Rear End of First Ninety-three Bumped by the Second Section —Damage was Slight— Railway News.

Commonly known in railroad circles as "Nigger Hill," one and one-half miles north of Anna, was the scene of a small wreck on the C. H. & D. First No. 93 south bound stalled on the hill and second No. 93 in attempting to couple on the rear of first 93 to push her over the hill, was carried with such speed by the momentum of a long train that it derailed the caboose and three cars. The caboose was damaged to such an extent that it will be sent to the shop. The pilot of the engine of second 93 was also badly disabled. No. 6, passenger train, north bound, was delayed at Anna until late in the afternoon.

A New Departure.

The passenger business of the Clover Leaf railroad has grown to such an extent that it has become necessary to establish a separate department, and a circular is out announcing that, effective February 1, an advertising department and buffet service will be installed and will be in charge of C. W. Mordoff, assistant general passenger agent, Toledo, Ohio. A circular also announces the appointment of T. J. Cook as assistant general freight and passenger agent at Toledo. Mr. Cook at the present time is assistant general freight agent and his appointment has the effect of adding the passenger business to his present duties.

General Notes.

F. M. Butcher, of Columbus, has received the appointment of inspector of police on the Panhandle lines of the Pennsylvania. Mr. Butcher was a patrolman under Captain H. Stoll a year ago. He was appointed lieutenant at Columbus and a few months later was appointed captain of the department.

The conference of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton brotherhood men, which was to have been held in Cincinnati last week, was postponed until yesterday, when it was held in Dayton, Ohio. Conductor Frank I. Stump, of the Findlay branch of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, went to Dayton to attend the meeting.

A broken wheel caused a slight wreck about midway between here and Elida, Ohio, on the Pennsylvania road yesterday morning. One car was more or less damaged, and the track was blocked for two hours. Nobody was injured.

The dining car on Pennsylvania train No. 21 was cut out here yesterday and taken to the east car shops to be thawed out. The heating pipes froze.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

Several hobos broke into a C. H. & D. freight car last night near the water tank north of the depot and stole a sack of bran and some bacon. They had several other things out of the car but were discovered before they could carry them away. They made their escape.—Sidney News.

The squabble between the C. H. & D. and Dayton & Troy Traction Company has at last been adjusted, and the electric line will put down its crossing tracks as at first intended.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass,
I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,
I'll leave my wife and cross the sea,
Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea.

Don't fail to attend the concert at Trinity church Friday night. 91-3t

Get your Butterine at Dimond Bros, they keep the best. 3 3

Hear Concones Mass at Trinity church Tuesday night. 91-3t

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During this Special Sale we are going to give you all a chance to get a FINE PIANO and on such easy terms that you can obtain a fine instrument and pay for it so easily that you will not miss your money.
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Will also sell my place of business at the depot. One of the best paying restaurants and sample rooms in N. W. Ohio. Fifty passenger trains arrive and depart every twenty-four hours within calling distance. Reason for selling going in my new block.

J. H. Williams, Agent.
C. H. & D. Restaurant Opposite the C. H. & D. Depot.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR RENT.

FOR SALE—Large black Galaway carriage robe, well lined; also English frieze storm coat, will sell cheap. New York Optical Co., Black block. 2-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Sixty-five dollar Singer sewing machine very reasonable. Inquire of J. R. Rakestraw, the jeweler 686 south Main street. 1eod3t

FOR SALE—Lots—We have four building lots for sale, $10 down and $5 a month. No taxes; no interest. Water and sewerage connections. Highest elevation in south Lima. No filling; macadamized street. Conveniently located to the new Lima Machine Shops, which will be built in the spring; also Solar Refinery and Lake Erie shops. We will sell one of the above lots for $185. When one half of the price is paid we will give the purchaser the privilege of building, or to the right party we will build a house on any of the above lots, terms to suit the purchaser. Call or address, William Stewart, room 5, Satterthwaite block, 135½ north Main street. jan23-1m

WANTED.

WANTED—An up-to-date man for manager and general agent of this county by the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia. Salary and commissions to right man. Address, with references, F. M. Wheaton, 112 north Broad street, Philadelphia, Pa. 90-eod-3t.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Frances E. McClain, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Frances E. McClain late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of January, A. D. 1902.

FRANK J. MEYERS,
Administrator.

LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Lillie M. Moore. All persons indebted to said assignor, will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

ALFRED C. BAXTER.
Lima, Ohio, January 28th, 1902.
Motter, Mackenzie and Weadock, Attorneys. jan28-3w

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COUNT

Of Votes for Grand Officers Completed.

Grand Chancellor, Chas. J. Decket, of the Ohio Pythians, Receives Nearly 6000 Ballots.

The official count of the grand lodge election of the Pythians of Ohio has been made. The results of the election in detail are as follows:

Grand chancellor, Chas. J. Deckman, Malvern, 5619; grand vice chancellor, S. N. McCleud, Marysville, 5615; grand prelate, J. D. Clark, Dayton, 3035, and Charles Edgar Brown, Cincinnati, 2560; grand master of exchequer, George B. Donavin, Delaware, 4526, and F. A. Jackson, Bellaire, 945; master-at-arms, William F. Bruce, Mt. Gilead, 5613; grand inner guard, Jas. Dunn, Cleveland, 5513; grand outer guard, Arthur E. Kerns, Findlay, 2365; E. Corn, Ironton, 1687; A. S. Rahl, Wooster, 214; J. B. Worley, Hillsboro, 576; C. O. Wildasin, Springfield, 386; Elmer E. Dale, Toledo, 581; supreme representative at large, A. P. Butterfield, Cincinnati, 2197; Josiah Catrow, Germantown, 3368; supreme representative additional, M. A. Bridge, Columbus, 5200, and John C. Burns, Mansfield, 5225. There were two of the latter to elect and one of the former.

O—y—s—t—e—r—s at Townsend's.

PATRIOTIC

Pupils of St. Rose School Observed McKinley Day.

Appropriate exercises were held yesterday in the different rooms in St. Rose school in honor of the late martyred president, William McKinley. Patriotic songs were sung and other exercises, which were befitting to the occasion were held. The donations of the scholars to the McKinley monument fund amounted to $30.05.

Smoked Salmon at Dimond Bros. 3 3

DROPSY

Caused the Death of Frank Morton, Near Delphos.

Frank W. Morton, a life long resident of the county, who lived a mile east of Delphos on the Gomer road, died Tuesday night after a lingering illness due to dropsy. He was born in Delphos January 19, 1858. Deceased leaves three children and is also mourned by his mother, two sisters and one brother. The funeral occurred this afternoon at two o'clock.

All Cloaks and Furs at half price at Feltz's.

F—i—s—h at Townsend's.

TWO

More Solve the Problem

That Marriage

For Them Has Been a Total Failure.

Cupid Closed His Eyes and Blindly Aimed His Shafts

When He Pierced the Hearts of Those Who Today were Figures in the Divorce Court—A Decree Granted.

Mrs. Ava M. Conrad, of Delphos, accompanied by her mother, brother and sister, and a little daughter, six years of age, was present in court this morning for the purpose of securing a divorce from her husband, John Conrad, whom she charged with cruelty and gross neglect of duty. She was represented by attorney Horace A. Reeve.

In support of the petition, Mrs. Conrad stated that she was married November 25, 1888 in Marion township, and has four children, three sons, the oldest twelve years of age and one daughter, aged six. The boys are with their father and she expects asks that she be awarded the custody of the little girl.

The acts of cruelty on the part of the defendant consisted of beating his wife with his fists and repeatedly threatening to kill her. On one occasion, she said, her husband drew a revolver, with which he was always armed, and she was so badly frightened that she became unconscious and was ill for a year afterwards. The least excitement now causes her to swoon. Her brother supported the statement that Conrad always went armed and sometimes carried two loaded revolvers. The court was at a loss to know what a man who operated a truck patch needed with so much artillery, but the reason could not be other than conjectured, and Conrad's readiness to flash a weapon on a defenseless woman, and that woman his wife, was deemed a sufficient reason for the granting of a decree prayed for.

Evidence was introduced to prove that the family fared but poorly, but according to the testimony of the plaintiff's own family, Conrad has been in bad health, and unable to do a hard day's work.

An Unhappy Match.

It has been a good season for divorce suits, and the disposal of cases pending does not materially lessen the number on file. Several new ones have been entered since the beginning of the week, and yesterday another side-stepped the "don't publish" trade mark, which left it open for publication. The plaintiff in this instance is Mary E. Stockler, whose eyes were opened to her husband's faults while they were residents of Chicago.

It was in that city that the plaintiff on the 13th day of February, 1900, was married to Albert S. Stockler, and each brought into the home children by a previous marriage. Mrs. Stockler had one child and the defendant three, and an agreement was entered into by them to treat the other's offspring as though they were their own children. This agreement, Mrs. Stockler says, she faithfully kept, but her husband soon became negligent and finally failed entirely to provide for herself and little one, making it necessary for her to depend on her own efforts and the help of kind friends.

She says that on the 12th of October, 1900, she became ill and although greatly in need of nursing, the defendant refused to provide either medicine or a physician until compelled to do so by the neighbors. She suffered for want of food, fuel and proper care and although the defendant was able to provide for her, he finally permitted her to become a public charge on the city of Chicago. He left her at night and spent his time at places unknown to her and after she had undergone an operation at the hospital, he compelled her to do washing and other hard work. His treatment of her, she says was cruel in other respects, for he frequently cursed and abused her and accused her of being unchaste.

Being unable to live with him under those conditions she returned to the home of her mother in Lima, and now asks the court to grant her a divorce and restore her maiden name, which was Mary E. Raff. Ridenour & Halfhill represent the plaintiff.

Another Unfortunate.

For the third time this week, Judge Miller was called to conduct an inquest, and another patient now sweet- permission from the authorities at Toledo to enter the asylum. An examination was made of Eunice Dirk, aged 64, at the infirmary yesterday afternoon and there was sufficient evidence to establish insanity.

The quota of Allen county at the asylum is 82, and at present there are 75 inmates, leaving vacancies for seven more. Not long ago the quota was more than filled, but some have been discharged as cured while others are enjoying at least temporary liberty.

Case Against the City.

Judge Cunningham was engaged today in hearing the case of R. C. Eastman against the city of Lima, which brings up the question of the city's authority to tear up sidewalks and sell the contract for building new ones. Some important points are raised and the result will be of interest to property owners in general.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Delphos Herald—Mrs. L. C. Friedly returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Lima.... Miss Mary Schuck is visiting Lima friends... John Hotz and Ben Arnoevel were in Lima yesterday on business.... James Pegdon, of Lima, was in Delphos Tuesday attending the funeral of Mrs. Simon Runyan.

Mrs. Mary Doolin and son Mark, of north Main street, are the guests of friends in Sidney.

Rev. P. P. Pope, of Van Wert, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of the daughter of Rev. Bethards.

C. N. Haskill, of Ottawa, and James S. Brailey, of Wauseon, are registered at the Norval.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richie arrived home this morning via Chicago from San Antonia, Texas. The health of both Mr. and Mrs. Richie has been greatly benefited by their sojourn in the south.

Miss Matie Galarneau, of west Wayne street, has returned from Logansport, Ind., where she was called two weeks ago by the death of a relative. She also visited friends in Remington, Ind.

Mrs. Geo. Yager has returned to her home in Fostoria, after a visit of two weeks with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, of north McDonel street.

Very Rev. Boniface Russ, Provincial of the Congregation of the Precious Blood, of Mercer county, was the guest of Revs. A. E. Manning and J. B. Mooney today.

Mr. G. W. Cramer, of Scott's Crossing, who has been the guest of H. Trempert and family, has returned home.

Miss Bland left yesterday for New York City to select her spring stock of millinery.

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I. O. O. F.

There will be a meeting of Canton Orion No. 24 P. M. this evening at 7 o'clock. Business of importance. Let every chevalier attend.

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Smelts, Trout, White, Bull heads, Boneless Herring, Mackeral, Pickeral, Codfish, Smoked Herring, Dried Herring, Oysters, Finnan Haddies, Halibut, Holland Herring.

'Tisn't safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to hapen.

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NEIL BURGESS HIMSELF
In an elobrate production of
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With its wealth of scenery, mechanical and electrical effects.
The most thrilling and realistic HORSE RACE
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3 Thoroughbred race horses mounted by professional jockeys running at terrific speed in full view of the audience.
No advance in prices.

ALL PLEASED.

If You Care for Money Don't Miss This.

The Sale of the Outlet Stock which the UNION CLOTHING & SHOE CO. is conducting, has become the talk of the town. No sale as meritorious as this one has ever taken place in the city, and the bargains, which the UNION is distributing, are wonderful indeed.

Just think of these: good 25c Suspenders at 11c; good work Pants at 45c and 60c, worth 75c to $1; work Shirts worth 35c at 15c, best work Shirts at 35c, worth 50c to 75c; fine Dress Shirts worth 75c to $1, at 37c; Children's Shirts, stiff or soft, at 25c, worth at least 50c; good Suits at $3 to $5, all to match, worth up to $10 and $12.

Men's and women's Shoes at 90c, worth $1.50 to $1.75; fine Dress Shoes $1.25, worth $2 to $2.50. A big lot of Men's and Women's fine Shoes, worth $3 to $4, at $1.95.

It is really impossible to mention all of the attractive articles and the still more attractive prices which the Union is offering but we truly believe that you should not miss this sale if you value money.

Thousands of dollars worth of the finest Clothing and Shoes, Hats and Furnishings are being sacrificed at half their regular value, and the Union's past reputation is ample guarantee to prospective purchasers that their interests will be protected.

PAY YOUR DEBT - - - -

to nature, by caring for your teeth. Neglect brings in its wake, many painful results which could often be averted by immediate attention.

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Opening of Our Muslin Underwear.

Today we have on sale over a thousand dozen of the sturdiest, best made and most beautiful styles of Muslin Underwear ever offered in this city, having eclipsed our former and most excellent showings of any previous season.

Sturdy, plain made cambric garments that have the wearing qualities all through them---next comes a simple bit of trimming aptly put on and for a trifle more you have a pretty, dainty undergarment.

Then again in the more expensive you can see the copies of French lingerie, with lace hemstitching and colored baby ribbon, with tuckings and pleatings; all so deftly arranged to make the many styles bewildering in their snowy whiteness.

From the best known American makers, from the cleanest and most sanitary factories, came the stocks that today go on sale. Designs that are new and exclusive, workmanship that is faultless, fit that is perfect and materials that are first-class. These are what constitute the ever increasing popularity of the

"BLUEM STANDARD"

CORSET COVERS.

This illustration represents one of our special 25c numbers.

It is a good quality of cambric, valencia ruffled lace edge yoke with ribbon neck, 3 rows silk feather stitch with nainsook inserting.

Another beautiful garment at the same price is a low neck cambric, trimmed with valencia lace and inserting, 4 rows down the front of bust, with lace trimmed arm holes.

Our three grand 10c numbers are of the plain every-day hard wearing cambric. Neither high or low neck, and if not right when plain, then one with a neck trimmed with embroidery, but quite neat.

This illustration represents a chic and most beautiful 50c number.

It is of nainsook, with extra wide valencia lace and inserting trimmed yoke, with lace shoulder, straps and arm hole; two rows colored baby ribbon and is a very attractive garment.

All our muslin undergarments are made properly, filled seams, for instance.

GOWNS.

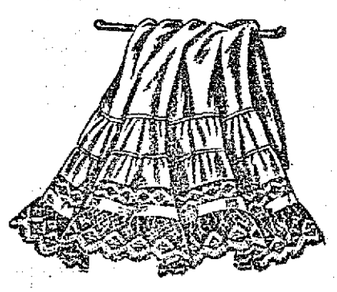
This is another illustration of what we can do in 50c garments.

Made of good cambric, with five tucks and ruffled yoke, neck and cuffs. Inserting of embroidery. A beautiful gown in its snowy whiteness.

The fine cambric gowns at $1.00 could be sold as nainsook if a couple of threads finer in cloth, but these are fine enough to give good service. One with extra wide torchon lace and inserting and cluster tucked reveres and lace yoke, ruffled torchon lace cuff and seams covered with feather stitch; is a wonder at the price.

This immaculate white show is handsome in its entirety.

CAMBRIC SKIRTS.



This skirt is a grand 75c value and suitable for the most fastidious buyers.

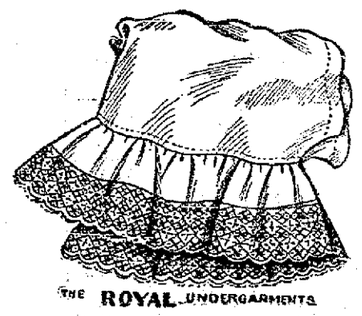
Made with a full nine inch ruffle and trimmed with torchon lace edge and inserting and cut full width.

At $1.00 we have cambric skirts, made with twelve inch ruffle, trimmed with torchon lace and two rows of lace inserting.

We look to the smallest details in all the styles we carry and service with style is our first aim.

See our special 10c, 25c, 50c lines of all muslin garments.

CAMBRIC DRAWERS.



This cut represents a grand value in the 25c line of drawers.

Made of cambric, with six inch wide lace edge ruffle, properly cut and of good cambric.

The plain numbers at 10c are made in generous widths, with three tucks and wide hem.

In nainsook at 50c, you get a grand quality, with three inch embroideded ruffle and five cluster tucks.

Our lines run into the finer grades. Today we talk of good, serviceable, dependable grades.

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UNCLE SAM IN THE KING ROW

Why We Send Special Representatives to Royal Functions In England and Spain

THE United States will figure prominently at two of the courts of Europe during the coming spring and summer, for besides the special embassy to the court of St. James to represent this government at the coronation of King Edward, President Roosevelt has appointed a special envoy to be present and take part in the ceremonies attendant on the coming of age of the king of Spain and his ascension to the throne.

Perhaps it is not generally known that the naming of a special embassy

GENERAL JAMES H. WILSON.

to attend the crowning of King Edward is in response to an invitation from the court of St. James. When the date of the coronation was decided upon, King Edward and his ministers addressed invitations to the great powers to take part in the ceremony by means of representatives of their respective executives.

Minor powers received no such invitations except in cases where their rulers are personally related to the reigning house of Great Britain. For instance, neither the kingdom of Servia nor the Swiss republic was invited to send representatives.

It is worthy of note, as an evidence that the United States has grown to be considered a great power, to state that no invitation to take part in the coronation of Queen Victoria was addressed to this country, while for the coronation of her son Uncle Sam was one of the first to receive an intimation from the king that his presence by special representative was desired. The French republic has received a similar invitation, but the court of St. James has paid no such compliment to Mexico or any of the South American republics.

The special embassadors of both the United States and France will receive the same honors and distinctions as royal and imperial representatives of the monarchical governments. Royal carriages and servants will be placed at their disposal during their stay in London, while military, naval and court officers will be designated to remain in attendance upon them as gentlemen in waiting, precisely as if they were royal personages.

Whitelaw Reid will be the embassador extraordinary from the United States, and some French general or admiral of eminence, probably General the Marquis de Gallifet, formerly minister of war and an old friend of King Edward, will represent France.

When Whitelaw Reid went over to England as special embassador at the time of Queen Victoria's jubilee in 1897, exceptional honors were lavished by the late queen on our representative.

As special embassadors outrank the regular incumbents, Mr. Reid during

Photo by Pach, New York.
WILLIAM S. K. WETMORE.

the term of his special mission will take precedence of Joseph Choate in all official and social functions. The special embassador will enjoy the same prerogatives and diplomatic immunities as the resident embassador, and he and his staff will be accorded extraterritorial status and complete immunity from British jurisdiction.

It is perhaps unnecessary to state that the special mission from the United States or any other power represented at the coronation will not render that homage to the king which is demanded from his own subjects. Bending the knee or kissing the hand would be decidedly out of place on the part of foreigners. The tokens of respect paid by Mr. Reid and his staff will be the same as foreign embassadors at Washington accord to the president of the United States.

In the matter of dress the most democratic simplicity maintains in the case of the American embassador. He is not expected to appear in uniform or even in what is designated "frock dress," which is black knee breeches, black silk stockings and pumps. He will appear at all the ceremonies, whether held by day or night, in plain evening dress, as he did during the queen's jubilee.

Special Embassador Whitelaw Reid will be accompanied on his special mission by General James H. Wilson as representative of the United States army, and Captain Charles E. Clark will act in the same capacity for the navy. Besides, there will be three secretaries—J. P. Morgan, Jr.; Edmund Lincoln Baylies, and William S. K. Wetmore.

Whitelaw Reid, head of the special embassy, has had a wide experience in matters of this kind. He represented this country at Queen Victoria's jubilee in 1897 and was a member of the peace commission in Paris the following year. He also served as minister to France during the administration of President Harrison. He was born in Ohio sixty-five years ago and for thirty years has been editor and chief owner of the New York Tribune.

General James Harrison Wilson is a native of Illinois, although he now hails from Delaware. He is the same age as Mr. Reid. His first active service in the field occurred during the civil war as an officer of engineers and

Photo by Davis, Richmond, Va.
DR. JABEZ L. M. CURRY.

he was rapidly promoted. For gallant and meritorious services he was brevetted a major general in 1866.

On the breaking out of the Spanish war, after having been out of the service for many years, he again took up arms and as major general of volunteers commanded the First division of the First army corps. His record as a soldier has been brilliant.

Captain Charles Edgar Clark, who represents the navy, is still fresh in the public mind. He it was who brought the battleship Oregon around Cape Horn from San Francisco, a run of 14,000 miles, arriving at Florida in good condition. This feat has no parallel in naval annals. At Santiago it was Captain Clark's ship that, with the Brooklyn, bore the brunt of battle. It is in recognition of his splendid services that he is sent to the coronation. Captain Clark was born in Vermont in 1843.

Of the secretaries of the special embassy J. P. Morgan, Jr., is the son of the famous financier and is the London representative of J. P. Morgan & Co. He was born in New York and was graduated from Harvard in 1889.

Edmund Lincoln Baylies is a member of a New York law firm. He is forty-three years old. He also is a Harvard graduate.

William S. K. Wetmore is the son of Senator Wetmore of Rhode Island. He is between twenty-eight and thirty years of age and is secretary of the Hongkong and Shanghai bank in New York. Mr. Wetmore is well known in New York society and is one of the twenty-four young men whom Mrs. Astor honored by putting him on her list of the new One Hundred at a ball recently given by her.

Dr. Jabez L. M. Curry, who has been appointed special envoy to Spain to represent the president at the coming of age of King Alfonso XIII., was born in Georgia nearly seventy-seven years ago. He is now president of the Southern Baptist board of foreign missions. He is an ordained minister of the Baptist church.

As United States minister to Spain he was present when the infant king was presented to the assembled ministers on a silver salver, as is the custom in Spain on the birth of the heir to the throne.

THE WAY OF A TORNADO.

One That Was Remarkable Both In Appearance and Action.

"A tornado that was remarkable both in appearance and in action was one that traveled from Texas across Oklahoma and Indian Territory in May, 1896," says Earl W. Mayo in Ainslee's. "A man in Sherman, Okla., who had exceptional opportunities for observing the storm, inasmuch as he was caught up in it and carried several hundred yards before descending to earth again, is certain that it was not funnel shaped. He says of it:

"'It looked to me like a great ball of vapor rolling over and over toward me. When I first saw it distinctly, it was at a hill perhaps an eighth of a mile away. It seemed to be about 250 yards wide and 100 feet high. The motion was that of a ball rolling over and over, not spiral, and it came on rather slowly, perhaps thirty miles an hour. Whatever the ball of cloud struck was lifted right off the ground.

"'I saw it pick up house after house between the hill and me, and the cloud seemed to be full of flying boards and timbers. When the ball reached Mrs. C.'s, the house nearest me, it went straight up off its foundations. The house remained intact until it was about twenty or twenty-five feet from the ground, then it burst open and the fragments flew in all directions. It looked like an exploding bomb. The corn and cotton standing a hundred feet on either side of the storm's path were uninjured, but whenever the cloud struck the higher ground it spread out, covering a wider strip of the surface.

"'When the cloud struck me, I went up lightly and easily and the sensation was not unpleasant, but I came down hard and was badly shaken up, although not seriously injured. On the highway north of Sherman fence wires were torn from the posts and pounded into the hard surface of the road a distance of two or three inches.'"

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The Renown of the Great Author and Physician Dr. A. W. Chase is Accented by Lima People.

Its by the words of the people that Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills have come into such active demand. The announcements for this medicine are not dependent on the testimony of people so for away that they cannot be authenticated. Its home evidence that convinces because easily substantiated. Its the simple statement of things done and told in the words of the relieved.

Mrs. Mary Lynch, of 743 Union street., Lima, Ohio, says:—"Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are number one. They build you up all over—give people of weak nerves steadiness and strength—gord sleep and general vigor and tone. This is the result one of my family got from a box got at Melville's drug store. They cannot be beat as a tonic that's one thing sure."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. W. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase M. D. are on every package. 2820

Slobbs—"Do you believe in the efficacy of prayer?" Slobbs—"Well, I believe that if you pray for rain it's bound to come, if you pray long enough."

They Never Depress.

You will never have that depressed or stupid feeling after taking Clinic Headache Wafers for the cure of your headache. They work directly on the nerves, act as a tonic to the heart and leave you bright and ready for work. A child or the weakest invalid can take them with perfect safety. 10 cents at all druggists. 4

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MADRI GRAS NEW ORLEANS AND MOBILE, FEBRUARY 4th, to 11th, 1902.

The C. H. & D., will sell tickets at half rate to New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala., on February 3rd., to 9th. inclusive. Tickets good until February 15th, for return, with privilege of extension to February 28th. Judging from the extensive preparations which have been made for the carnival, Mardi Gras will exceed all previou events.

Frank Treadwell, Bennett, Ia., was troubled with kidney disease for two years. He writes: "I had taken several kinds of kidney remedies, but with little benefit. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and one dollar cured me.

H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Tommy—"Pop, what is the difference between a cook and a chef?" Tommy's Pop—"About $100 a month, my son."

If troubled with a weak digestion, belching, sour stomach, or if you fee dull after eating, try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Wm. Melville's drug store, old post office corner

When a man refuses to buy his wife a new coat she is perhaps justified in saying that he doesn't care a rap for her.

FARM·FIELD AND GARDEN

A PEANUT CROP.

Very Satisfactory Under Right Conditions—Machine and Hand Labor.

One of the pleasantest and most satisfactory crops in the world for some men is the peanut crop. It is not hard to grow, it is easy on the soil and, one time with another, it yields a good cash return. The drawback to peanut growing is that it requires a good deal of tedious hand labor. Of course the crop pays handsomely for the work, but in the southern and western states, where peanuts are grown, hand labor on the farm is heartily despised. The sulky plow and the self binder furnish the ideal means of crop production there. Light, warm, sandy loam is best for the crop, and, though the

A KANSAS PEANUT FIELD.

plant is not a gross feeder, this soil should be fairly well supplied with plant food.

The crop has to be planted rather late, after all danger of frost is over, and it then requires the whole season to mature. The digging begins the last thing when frost is considered imminent. An average yield under fair culture is fifty bushels of pods to the acre. These bring the grower from 50 cents to $1 a bushel. The vines are sometimes fed to live stock and make about the same grade of forage as peavine hay. Our illustration of a Kansas peanut field is from a photograph kindly furnished by Professor A. Dickens. —Country Gentleman.

BEEFMAKERS OF THE WEST

The Individual Raiser Who Stays With His Herd Most of the Year.

A great demand for grazing land has sprung up all over the west during the past few months, and there is a constant scramble to squeeze in and grab something, according to Denver Field and Farm, which says: The demand for grazing land had its origin in the general belief that the next few years at least will see big money in the cattle business. Much has been said recently about the great falling off in the supply of beef cattle as compared with the demand which has been vastly increased in recent years by the army demand and growing export trade. Prices for finished beef have been going steadily upward and are certain to go higher. Hence there is a rush to get in on the ground floor, and the snapping up of vacant lands is a natural sequence. The ups and downs of cattle raising in the west form an interesting history. The possession or ownership of a bunch of cattle was for years the sign manual of affluence, and the stockman ranked higher than the banker.

The big money of the early days tempted hundreds of inexperienced men to put their faith in cattle as a doubler of capital. A hard winter, an untrustworthy foreman and organized bands of cattle rustlers soon squeezed the bubble, and for years cattle raising was looked upon as an unprofitable venture.

Following close upon the failure of many big cattle companies came the individual raiser, the bright young man who knew the business and stayed with his herd the greater part of the year. He owned a little irrigated ranch, made money and is still making it.

The cattlemen of Colorado are not inclined to agree with the prediction that the production of beef cattle will not in the future keep pace with the demand. They say that it is the history of the business that periods of high prices come, but that they are the result of conditions that cannot be remedied.

It is almost an invariable rule that when cattle are high the ranchmen turn to raising them, and when wheat or potatoes in turn go up they rush into the irrigation industry. The cattlemen, therefore, predict that the present and threatened shortage will be met in time by little bunches of cattle from farms and mountain ranches, and these are the fellows who are the real beefmakers of America today.

Sore Mouth of Cattle.

During the early fall a disease new to most cattlemen made its appearance in Kansas. It was popularly called "black tongue." In connection with profuse discharge of saliva and sore mouth there were inflammation of the front feet and fever. It was not, however, the contagious foot and mouth disease of Europe, according to Professor Mayo of the state station, and he recommends a simple treatment, isolation of the sick animals from the well and washing out the mouth two or three times daily with a saturated solution of borax or a solution of a tablespoonful of alum dissolved in a pint of water.

THE CORN CROP HAZARD.

One Shouldn't Take Chances on Seed. "Any Old Corn" Will Not Do.

The importance of securing reliable and well bred seed corn this year has been doubly emphasized by the vast difference in the yield of fields in the same localities. Corn growers are fast breaking away from the idea that crib corn will do for seed. As much thoughtful attention and care should be given to the buying and selection of seed corn as to that of buying pure bred animals to build up one's herd.

The selection of seed corn for next year's planting is now the most important thing in all farming operations. In no case should seed be used from unmatured corn or from the fields that were injured by the unfavorable weather conditions of the past season. There are a few good, careful and reliable seed corn growers and breeders in this country who take infinite pains in this matter of growing and selecting seed, and, while they may ask a little higher price for their seed than others, it will not take one very long to determine that practically no reasonable price is too high to pay for well bred seed of the recognized standard varieties.

The seed corn planted by many farmers throughout the corn belt has too long been selected from run out, degenerate varieties. In many instances the same variety of corn, and that without especial selection, has been grown on the same farm from ten to fifteen years. The land has become impoverished, and the seed has degenerated until the yield has been reduced from fifty bushels to from twenty-five to thirty bushels per acre.

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We have urged this seed corn selection with a great deal of stress during the past year, for we are just at the beginning of the seed corn growing and seed corn breeding, and whenever general corn raisers will fully appreciate the enormous advantage that there is in wise and careful selection or buying of strong, vigorous seed right then will they increase the yielding value of their cornfields. The slight expense of the first cost in buying good, reliable seed is but trifling as compared with the ultimate results.

The general farmer perhaps has not the time nor the inclination to raise pure bred and carefully selected seed any more than he has the time, inclination and means to raise his pure bred breeding stock. He prefers to buy a pure bred bull from some one who has means and time and ability to raise the best bred stock. Buy the best seed corn obtainable and get it from reliable seed corn growers who make a business of growing and selling only the best bred and the best recognized varieties.—Prairie Farmer.

Celery Growing.

In the culture of celery a rich, deep, loose soil, generally bottom lands or thoroughly drained and reclaimed swamp or marsh land, is recommended. Celery grown on upland is generally considered to be of better quality, while on moist lowlands it makes the better growth. Celery seed germinates slowly, requiring twelve to fourteen days. For the early crop it is usual to plant the seeds in February or March in shallow flats filled with loam. The seeds are sown on the surface and a little dirt sifted over them. The soil should be kept moderately moist. The flats may be stacked one upon the other until germination begins, or they may be covered with paper or like material and placed under the greenhouse bench or in the kitchen window. When the plants begin to germinate, they should be gradually accustomed to the light. The plants are usually transplanted once or twice in boxes, the hotbed or cold frame before being set in the field. According to Professor Taft of the Michigan station, seed for garden celery in the north should be sown early in the spring. A level spot should be selected or made rich with rotted manure.

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Dated this 28th day of December, A. D. 1901.

AMANDA REICHELDERFER.
Layton & Son, Attorneys. Executrix.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

Wm. Pifer, plaintiff,
vs.
Barney Jones, defendant.

On the 18th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of eleven and 50-100 dollars ($11 50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.

Wm. PIFER,
58-6wks Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

J. F. Schilling, plaintiff,
vs.
John Walsh, defendant.

On the 30th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of two and 50-100 dollars ($2.50).

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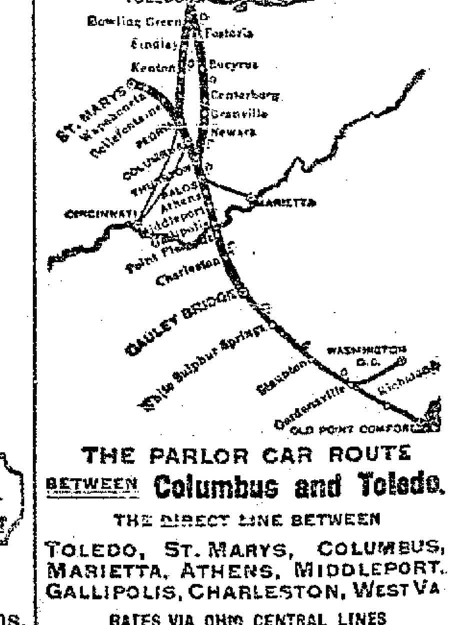

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8,	Day Express, daily	9:20 p. m.
2,	Limited Express, daily.....	10:40 p. m.
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45,	Chicago and west daily...	2:00 a. m.
5,	Limited Express, daily.	3:30 a. m.
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7:45 Ar 14....	Continental (2)...	Lv 3:45
8:15 Lv.	Continental (2)...	Ar 3:15
	18.....	*Leon .....
8:52 Ar. 20...	Dormington (3)...	Lv. 2:55
8:45 Lv. 20...	Dormington (3)....	Ar 2:45
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9:10 Lv. 22.....	Kalida	Ar 2:20
	27.....	*Beltz
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THE AX FELL UPON THE BARED NECK.

had been condemned to death for a most brutal murder. He describes the scene:

"The prison bell tolled the hour of 6, and upon the first stroke the great doors at the end of the courtyard swung wide to admit the condemned. On one side of him walked the prison inspector, on the other side a priest. Deppe halted for a moment and looked defiantly down the courtyard. He was clad only in trousers and undershirt, with his coat thrown loosely across his shoulders. Urged by the inspector, he marched up to the table presided over by the state's attorneys. The priest fell back a few paces, and the executioner stepped over between the block and the table covered with a white cloth, from which point he eyed Deppe rather nervously, I thought. The proceeding was extremely solemn and decorous.

"Taking up the papers in the case, the first state's attorney read aloud in a dry, gasping voice the findings of the trial court and jury and the sentence of death. During the reading all the prison officials stood at attention, with right hand to cap visor. Deppe stared dully into the face of the reader as one without the faintest interest in the record. The affirmation of the sentence by the court of appeals was read in the same unpleasant voice, and then the paper which contained the refusal of the emperor to extend executive clemency and which ended with the words, 'Given on board our yacht the Hohenzollern.' The state's attorney held this paper out before the doomed man and pointed to the signature—'Wilhelm, I. R.' 'You see?' he said. Deppe only shrugged his shoulders.

"After a moment of impressive silence the state's attorney said, 'Now, Deppe, do you in face of immediate death desire to ease your conscience by free confession or do you still stick to your lie?' The prisoner spoke then for the first time. 'I have nothing to confess,' he said.

"Then came the dramatic moment. The state's attorney raised his hand and said to Herr Reindell, 'Do your duty.' The executioner waved his hand at his assistants. On the instant one of them seized the coat and tore it from the shoulders of the condemned, the others, one on each side, lifting Deppe at the same moment and throwing him prostrate on the block table. As his body fell into position the assistant who had taken the coat fastened his hands in the condemned man's hair and stretched his neck out upon the block, holding to it with all the force of which his strong arms were capable. As the neck came into position Herr Reindell, the headsman, whisked the white covering from the table beside him with his left hand, and as he swung around with the same motion the ax flashed into play and descended upon the bared neck just above the shoulders. It was done so quickly and so clear and clean was the cut that the condemned man's head was off and by the hands of the assistant, who had not released his hold upon it, was laid beside the block while we still were straining to meet the climax.

"Herr Reindell, with a back swing from the block, laid his ax upon the table and drew the cover across it to hide the gore, saying at the same time, 'Mr. State's Attorney, the sentence has been carried out.'

"It was true. The head was off, the man dead, almost before we knew it. There had been no struggle, no distressing battle, against a fate that could not be beaten off. Deppe was taken as much by surprise as were the witnesses, and if he intended to resist he had waited just that one instant too long. By the prison inspector's watch exactly twenty-seven seconds and no more elapsed between the time when the state's attorney said 'Do your duty' and the time when Deppe's head was laid upon the floor beside the block.

"Instead of a bloody spectacle it was a clean execution. The trunk of the dead man fell forward into the space between the block table and the block. What blood there was ran out of view into that zinc receptable. When the arteries had ceased to flow, Herr Reindell signed to his assistants to lift the body, and it was placed at once in the coffin. He himself lifted the head by the hair and laid it beside the trunk. Then the coffin lid was fastened down, a card bearing the address of the Anatomical Institute of the University of Kiel was tacked upon it, and the corpse was taken away.

"While I still was marveling at the celerity of the execution an attendant came from the prison with a bowl of steaming water and a napkin. Herr Reindell dipped his fingers daintily into the bowl, dried them upon the napkin, bowed politely to the state's attorneys and the witnesses and withdrew.

"I was told that Herr Reindell receives 200 marks, or about $50, for an execution. One of the prison officials accounted in a measure for the dread certainty of the executioner's stroke by telling me that the blade and handle of his ax were hollow and that the hollow space was partly filled with quicksilver."

Girl Commits Suicide In Theater

That was one of life's real tragedies that took place in a Washington theater a few days ago. Mary Louisine Benner, a crippled girl, who was in love with Lozelle, a trapeze performer, entered the main aisle while Lozelle, the gymnast, was on the stage. The audience gazed across the footlights at the performance, and the orchestra was playing a merry air.

Miss Benner started down the aisle as though to take a seat. She suddenly stopped, lifted a letter above her head and waved it as though to attract the performer's attention. Then she tore the letter into fragments and threw them about the floor. John Hendley, an usher, witnessed the act and, stepping up behind the girl, requested her not to litter up the carpet.

"Oh, I guess it won't make any difference," she replied, and with a quick motion snatched a vial of carbolic acid from the bosom of her dress, drained its contents and fell to the floor. Hendley saw the motion of her arm and, vaguely divining Miss Benner's intentions, grabbed at her hand. He missed and only succeeded in spilling some of the fiery liquid on his right hand. Lozelle continued to swing back and forth on his trapeze as though unconscious that anything had occurred, the orchestra played on, and few persons left their seats, little dreaming that a tragedy in real life had been carried out before their eyes.

Boils Human Bones To Get Education

A young medical student near Lawrence, Kan., spent his Christmas holidays boiling human bodies to buy a microscope with which to pursue his studies at the Marion-Sims Medical college. He is T. M. Duncan, the son of a farmer. The boiling process strips the flesh from the skeleton and fits the bones for wiring. Duncan receives $3.50 for each cadaver treated.

The young man has chosen a spot for his grewsome work in a ravine near the Clayton and Conway road. He was busy working there when Prosecuting Attorney Heidorn and Deputy Sheriff Belleville of St. Louis county visited the place to make an investigation. At the time he had five human bodies in his possession. Two of them were in kettles of boiling hot water, and the other three were packed in boxes and barrels.

He had nine bodies at the beginning of the week, but he has finished boiling and bleaching four of them. New bodies are being hauled to the place every day by John Lines, a farmer, and Duncan expects to finish several others before his lectures are resumed.

Duncan told his story to the officers, and both of them were satisfied that his work was legitimate. The young man is twenty-four years old, married and lives with his wife in St. Louis. He is compelled to work his way through college, as he worked his way in his preparatory training through the Kansas State university and then came to St. Louis, where he has been for the last two years doing odd jobs to pay for his tuition.

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How an American Has Revolutionized London's Antiquated Street Railway System—Great Results Accomplished With Little Fuss.

After a flying visit to this country Mr. Charles Tyson Yerkes has returned to London, where he has astonished the people of that staid old city by the celerity with which he is transforming its street railway system. Mr. Yerkes' visit to his native land was for the purpose of disposing of his newspaper property in Chicago.

During the eight or ten months Mr. Yerkes has spent in England he has succeeded in making himself regarded as one of London's benefactors. In three years, if his plans do not go awry, there will be in existence in the English metropolis a system of street transportation, both under and above ground, that will materially benefit the working people by furnishing cheap and rapid communication between the city and the suburbs. This scheme is all of Mr. Yerkes' own initiative, and the result will enable the masses, now compelled to live in crowded tenements, to find homes in more congenial quarters in the country.

Last March Mr. Yerkes went to London on the mission which promises so much for London's population, both rich and poor, for it will be possible under the new system to shoot from the residence district of the wealthy into the business center by "deep level" expresses in one-quarter of the time required at present.

Since Mr. Yerkes has been in London he has accomplished more in the direction of adequate passenger transportation than all the railway men in England together since the first rail was laid in Great Britain, and this in spite of many drawbacks and delays due to disputes over the methods of traction to be employed.

The "tramway king," as he is known in England, is not the type of Yankee hustler that the British railway men expected. He never seems to be in a hurry, and his voice is pitched in moderate tone. Although liked and respect-

CHARLES T. YERKES.

ed by his new business associates, these gentlemen were much offended on his arrival by the freedom with which he discussed his plans in the newspapers and told the public what he was going to do even before he consulted the men who were going to help him do it. This, however, has not prevented Mr. Yerkes from taking the public into his confidence whenever it suited his purpose. As he holds an absolutely controlling interest in his great ventures, his associates have ceased to attempt to guide him in this respect.

In London Mr. Yerkes works as hard as any of his assistants. He is at his desk at 9:30 in the morning, and it is no unusual thing for him to remain there until 8 or 9 in the evening, sometimes prolonging his labors until midnight. He goes over every plan of his engineers and every line of contract he signs. He leaves nothing of this nature to his subordinates. These documents represent transactions involving millions of dollars since his sojourn in London. The men who deal with Mr. Yerkes say he leaves no loopholes for the escape of the other parties to the contract.

When he leaves his office, the tramway king becomes the art connoisseur. He has little time to visit the galleries, though occasionally he leaves business to run up to Bond street or the Haymarket to see and perhaps purchase some picture of particular interest or merit.

When Mr. Yerkes first went to London, he had offices in the Hotel Cecil, although he lived at Claridge's, not wishing to have his business always beside him. There Mrs. Yerkes dispensed hospitality. Her beauty and cleverness and the richness of her costumes were the envy and admiration of London's smart set. As yet Mr. and Mrs. Yerkes have made no bid for social distinction. A very serious illness has kept Mrs. Yerkes an invalid during the greater part of her stay in the English capital, and her husband has been so absorbed in business as to leave him little time for social pleasures.

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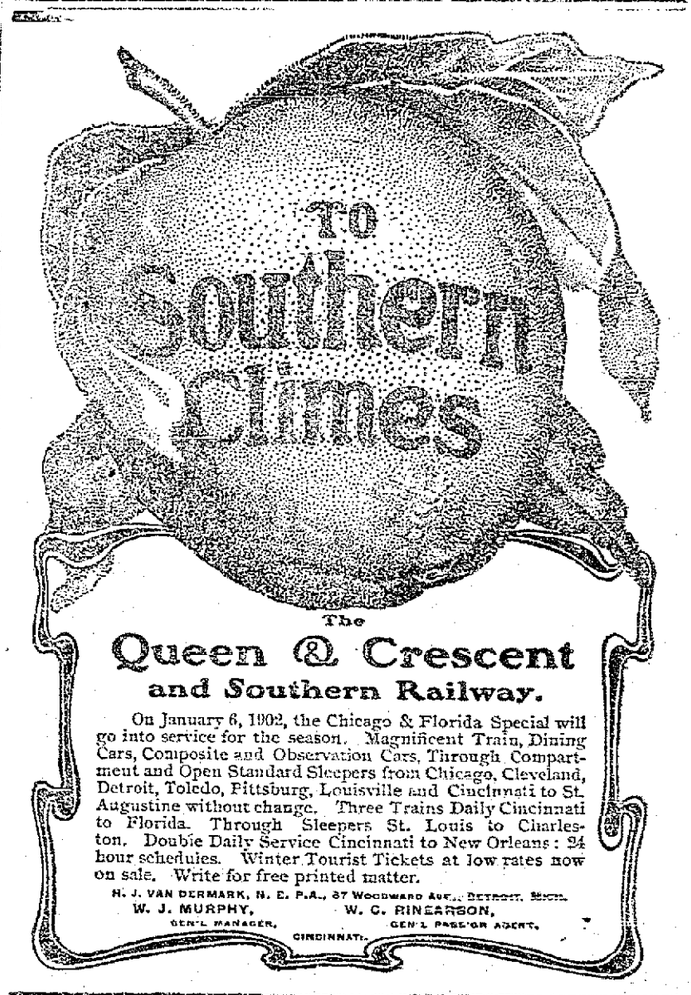

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And Shriners

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The New Masonic Temple a Scene of Splendor Last Evening.

Reception Given by the Shriners' Club One of the Most Brilliant Events of the Kind Ever Held in the City.

The Masonic temple was a blaze of splendor last night for the first reception and banquet given by the Antioch Shrine club, and the many guests of the club are eloquent in their praise of the event which was one of the most successful social functions ever given in Lima.

Four hundred invitations were issued by the club's invitation committee, which was composed of Messrs. Wm. Melville, J. E. Lowery and T. E. Thompson. A number of the invitations went to neighboring cities where Shriners abound, but a great majority were sent to Lima people, resulting in the bringing together last night, in the beautiful Masonic temple, of a representative collection of Lima people. To these were added a number of Shriners and their wives from other towns, among whom were:

O. B. Sargent, Longsport, Ind.; Dr. M. L. Johnston and wife, Harrod, O. Wm. G. McLean and wife, Sidney; J. H. Hellings and wife, Findlay; Ira L. Neely and wife, Indianapolis; J. W. Witwer, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Emory Light and mother, Frank MacMillan and wife, Robt. B. Durain, C. W. Dustin, F. J. Cellarius, H. E. Allen, Wm. Byrne, F. O. Watson, J. W. Greene, E. C. Harley, Dayton; A. C. Buehler, L. G. Neely and wife, O. E. Duman and wife, J. T. Schoonover and wife, Miss Carrie Keuthan, Hobert Scott, Miss Katherine Clover, A. Van. S. Stunburgh, J. D. Simpkins, E. M. Vanfleete and wife, Miss Vanfleete, John J. Hauss, St. Marys; J. H. Goeke and wife, Carl D. Fisher and wife, C. W. Timmermeister and wife, Wapakoneta; C. D. Angell, Fosterville, N. Y.; Mrs. Caroline Hawkshew, St. Marys; A. D. Skinner, Spencerville; A. E. Smith, Kossuth, Ohio.

The various committees of the Shriner's Club had their work so well in hand, and had given such careful attention to arranging the details of their reception that nothing was overlooked that would aid in the entertainment of the guests or add to their enjoyment while within the hospitable doors of the club's headquarters.

Upon alighting from the elevator on the fourth floor of the Masonic temple the guests were met by representatives of the reception committee, consisting of Nobles Samuel A. Baxter, Davis J. Cable, Walter B. Richie, Thomas W. Dobbins, Walter H. Standish, Moses C. Tyler, Richard W. Argue and John H. Blattenberg. Each guest was decorated with a badge consisting of a club button from which depended a small camel. From the moment the reception committee took charge of the guests until the last carriage drove away at the conclusion of the reception the most assiduous and successful effort was made by the club members to make their many guests enjoy the evening to their uttermost.

The guests were first ushered into the spacious parlors of the club which was a triumph of floral decorators art. The walls were covered with smilax and asparagus ferns, while palms and great clusters of radiant American beauties were everywhere present.

Amusement for every one was provided, the billiard tables drawing their share of attention, while card lovers found ample space and opportunity for showing their skill at the card tables in various convenient places in the Eastern Star room, in the lofty Commandery room, with its brilliantly lighted dome and attractive furnishings, and again in the armory, where remote from the ladies the men could indulge in a good cigar while enjoying a quiet game.

The most attractive place of course was the Shrine club room, with its mysterious camel guardian mounted on high to oversee affairs, and confronting one on every hand, looking down from banners of various hues, and dimensions, but even the camel had mystic rivals in the scimiter, the crescent and the star, all showing to good advantage. In this luxurious room fitted up with oriental magnificence, leather couches, chairs and pillows were supplemented by soft couches of eastern tapestries and hangings. Asparagus farn draped the chandeliers but red was the color scheme of this attractive place, and royal American beauties were the queens presiding on tables and centerpiece. A harpist from Chicago was here stationed and melody won the lovers of sweet music.

Old glory could not be dispensed with and was used effectively in the decorating in many rooms on the fourth, fifth and sixth floors. This committee was Mr. G. E. Bluem, Mr. C. C. Kline, Mr. J. J. Groves, Mr. T. J. Morris, and Mr. A. C. Reichelderfer.

Those fond of dancing were more than delighted with the ball room which was very beautiful. Its color scheme was red and green; the window draperies, in the two colors making a brilliant line of color on the north side, while festoons and garlands of southern smilax made a freize clear around the walls and above the corner arranged for the orchestra of ten pieces which played the latest operas, under the direction of Fry. The music committee to be praised for their efforts were Mr. E. M. Gooding, Mr. C. H. Folsom, and Hugh Cameron.

Refreshing liquid, labeled "Camel's Milk" was bounteously supplied to the gentlemen; frappe was the beverage enjoyed by the ladies.

Another place that found favor was the blue lodge room, where a banquet table was royally spread with seasonable dainties and again the American beauty was queen as a center for this table; one hundred seats were arranged and a supper deftly served from an adjoining room, while from the balcony were wafted soft airs played by the mandolin orchestra. The banquet committee were Mr. Richard W. Argue, Mr. George S. Vicary, Mr. E. R. Curtin, Mr. J. W. Griffin, Mr. S. W. VanCleve, Mr. J. D. S. Neely, and Mr. James Britt.

The finance committee were Mr. George S. Vicary, Mr. T. W. Dobbins and Mr. F. D. Closser, and they spared neither time or money in their efforts to make the affair a great success, believing in one of their conspicious mottoes:

"Live while you live
You'll be a long time dead."

The Shrine club has but 37 members but they are all hustlers and when they undertake to do a thing it is royally done. The officers of the club are, President, J. D. S. Neely; vice president, G. S. Vicary; secretary, J. E. Lowery; treasurer, T. W. Dobbins; House Committee, R. W. Argue, E. R. Curtin and J. W. Griffin. To the liberality of the Shrine club, the guests of last evening's function owe a debt of gratitude for the enjoyment of one of the pleasantest evenings in the social history of Lima.

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WIDOW

Of Wade Hitchcock a Victim of a Thief.

A sneak thief is no respector of persons and in order to further his own ends will steal from a blind man or a poor widow just as soon as he would from one who could bear the losses of both. One of this dirty class paid a visit to the home of Mrs. Wade Hitchcock, of Troy, whose husband was at one time employed in the C. H. & D. dispatcher's office here, and stole every bit of fuel that had been sent to her after the death of her husband. The loss to her was considerable, as she was found to be in straightened circumstances. The Standard club of Troy has placed a sum of money in the hands of a committee to be expended for the benefit of herself and family.

THE IDLER.

An Elk Tooth Worth Having.

W. S. Morgan, of Findlay, a well-known Elk, has received an elk's tooth, emblematic of the order, that is probably 1,000 years old if not older.

While in the west Mr. Morgan, who is a civil engineer, gained the lasting friendship of an old Iowa Chief, and a correspondence has resulted, the red man's educated granddaughter writing his letters for him and translating those he received. Mr. Morgan wrote him some time ago that he wanted an elk's tooth to wear as a charm. The other day he received the tooth and a letter stating that the chief had had the tooth in his treasure box since he was a young buck. When a lad he stumbled upon the hidden mouth of a cave and entered a series of subterranean rooms, in one of which lay the remains of three men of a bygone age. So long had the bodies lain there that the cloth coverings, flesh and bones, crumbled at a touch. Lying among jewelry and trinkets near by was this tooth. It had evidently been used as an emblem by some prehistoric warrior. Its browned surface attracted the attention of the young brave, and he took it and kept it as a lucky piece ever since. He gives it to the Findlay man with a fatherly benediction.

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And the Hearts and Hands of Mr. Eugene G. Christen and Miss Hazel Lenore Brown are United for Life.

One of the prettiest, before Lent, weddings taking place at St. Rose this year was the one this morning, when at 8:30, about two hundred relatives and friends witnessed the marriage of Mrs. Amos Brown's only child, Hazel Lenore, to Mr. Eugene Gerald Christen.

Father Manning as officiating priest, entered before the bridal party and then came the music of Mendelssohn's wedding march heralding the happy couple, who were unattended. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white broadcloth trimmed with equisite rose trimming made of the cloth and a "Queene Anne" Paris hat, of white Panne velvet with natural roses (made of palms) in pink and cream colors, blending softly with the velvet.

"The Night is Still," was the music rendered before the nuptial mass, which was sung by the pastor and the choir responding.

After the holy sacrement, the benediction was followed by a recessional "Hearts and Flowers," and the relatives were driven to the home of the bride's mother, 213 north West street, where a wedding breakfast was served in four courses. The church decorations were just the same as the house, green and white being used on the altar at St. Rose and on the bride's table and in the parlors, where Frey's orchestra made a soft accompaniment to the happy conversations.

The young bride and groom left for Cleveland and upon their return, will live with the bride's mother and will be at home to their numerous friends after March first.

The from out of town guests were, the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pearl, of Zanesville and Mrs. James Ryan and Misses Mary Katherine and Margaret Ryan, all of Dayton.

The ceremonies attending the wedding at the church were the most beautiful that have graced a nuptial event at St. Rose church for some time. Miss Doretta Louy presided at the organ and violin accompaniments to the wedding march and the recessional were rendered in a charming manner by Miss Teresa Callahan. Miss Catherine Sullivan sang a beautiful solo at the offertory. The ushers at the church were Messrs. Harry O'Connor, Ray Christen, Kline Spellacy and Frank Louy.

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To Go to Work After Being Laid Off.

A crowd of "Finns" who have been working for the Western Ohio Railway Company were in Piqua yesterday morning on their way to Lima. They were laid off Monday and supposing they had been discharged, refused to go to work next day. On this account they went to their former home.—Troy Record.

NOTICE.

The ladies of Allen Hive No. 147, will hold their regular review in Donze hall tomorrow evening. Let there be a full attendance. Business of importance.

LIBRARY NOTICE.

Miss Alice Paddock representing the American Book Company, will be at the County Examiner's room Saturday, February 1st, with a full line of sample books for libraries. A special discount will be offered at this time.

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CONCERT

At Trinity M. E. Church Tomorrow Evening

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Very few of the lovers of music of Lima are perhaps aware of the fact that there is to be given at Trinity M. E. church tomorrow evening an extraordinary fine concert by the choir of that church, assisted by the best musical talent of Lima, under the direction of Prof. H. W. Owens.

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Duet—The Light of Life..D. O. Evans
E. Metheany,
Thomas Peat.
Solo—Selected .....
Thos. Peat.
Ladies Quartette—Old Folks at Home.
Mrs. E. V. Wells, Miss Montgomery,
Miss Wickham and Mrs. Heistand.
Solo—Selected .....
Lea. Arthur.
Reading—Selected .....
Mr. Patterson.
Hallelujah Chorus..... Handel
Male Quartette—Selected .....
Messrs. Metheany, Jones, Ransom,
Vermillion.
Solo—Selected .....
Frank Cochran.
Chorus—Babylons Wave .....
Choir.

Price of admission, 25c. Tickets at the door.

All Cloaks and Furs at half price at Feltz's.

THE REPEAL

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